

CITY AND NORMAL SHARE IN ESTATE OF MRS. GOERKE

Remainder of \$35,000 Estate Will be to Her Attorney, W. E. Fisher

A gift of \$10,000 to the city of Stevens Point and the establishment of a \$10,000 trust fund for the State Normal school here, with the remainder of her estate bequeathed to W. E. Fisher, her attorney, are the main provisions of the will of the late Mrs. Amanda Goerke of this city, which was filed in probate court Tuesday. The net value of the estate is approximately \$35,000.

Mrs. Goerke took her own life at her home on Clark street on New Year's day by turning on the gas jets in a kitchen range after locking all of the doors of the residence. Locking her home was a custom she followed for many years on legal holidays and Sundays.

The first provision of the will, which was made on March 29, 1917, and witnessed by A. L. Halstead and George Holman, stipulates that the sum of \$10,000 is bequeathed to the Forest cemetery association to be used in the following manner for the following purposes:

"The said sum shall be deposited with and loaned to the city of Stevens Point with interest at the rate of one per cent per annum, and such interest used annually to keep up my lots in Forest cemetery and improvements thereon in good repair and flowers thereon in season; and if said city will not accept said sum on said terms, then it is my will that this bequest be reduced to \$5,000 and the last named sum be deposited with and loaned to some nearby city at interest at the rate of two per cent per annum and such interest used annually as provided in this paragraph."

Means \$3,000 Gift
The latter provision of the paragraph is understood merely to safeguard against any possibility that the gift would not be accepted by the city. The one per cent interest provision means in effect that the city will receive approximately \$3,000, as the interest on \$2,000 would take care of the \$100 annuity which must be paid for the upkeep of the grave.

Continuing, the will of Mrs. Goerke provides that "I hereby nominate and appoint William E. Fisher of Stevens Point to be the executor of this my last will and testament, without bond; and hereby give, devise and bequeath to him the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, and it is my will that he shall establish a trust fund of the sum of \$10,000 of my estate to be placed at interest and the interest loaned, without interest, to worthy and needy boys and young men attending the State Normal school at Stevens Point, Wis., to be used by them in paying their expenses while attending said school, and later repaid and I do authorize and empower my said executor to make all necessary rules, terms, provisions and conditions for maintaining said fund, loaning said interest and carrying out the provisions hereof. I having and reposing full faith and confidence in him to carry out my wishes."

Fund to Accumulate
It is seen that the trust fund to the State Normal school will increase in amount as interest loaned to needy students is repaid by them. Not only will the bequest of \$10,000 be kept intact, but all accumulations will be added to it. At five per cent interest, loans up to \$500 a year can be made and as these are paid back the fund will steadily grow.

The petition of Mr. Fisher for the administration of the will sets forth that the value of the personal estate of the deceased will not exceed \$20,000. This includes the Clark street residence of the late Mrs. Goerke, the business property and building on Main street now occupied by the C. G. Macnish shoe store and the Cook studio, and portions of wild land in the towns of Hull and Linwood. In addition to this, Mrs. Goerke left approximately \$15,000 in securities, mostly farm mortgages. The net value of the estate is therefore estimated at approximately \$35,000.

Mr. Fisher stated today that it would be necessary to sell some of the land in order to comply with the provisions of the will which made the two \$10,000 bequests. He said that the Goerke home on Clark street would probably be offered for sale in the spring.

Friend Not Left Out
Mr. Fisher further declared that a very considerable portion of the remainder of the estate, left in general terms to himself, would be distributed

GENERAL STRIKE OFF

Chicago Unions to Concentrate on Strikes Now Going On

Chicago, Jan. 10.—A general strike of the Chicago building trade employees scheduled for today has been averted. Conservative leaders forced the building trade council to abandon immediate plans for a general strike. Instead the strength of unionism will test the attempt to win strikes on \$4,500,000 worth of construction which have already been called.

BADGER HENS WANT 12 HOUR WORK DAY

Advice to Farmers on How to Get Best Results Given by a Madison Expert

Lengthening the work day in the fall and winter for the flock of layers not only increases the egg production for the entire year, but increases it when eggs command the highest price and thereby increases profits, is the opinion of J. G. Halpin of the poultry department of the college of agriculture at Madison.

Farmers of Portage county, especially at Fancher, have displayed much interest in poultry raising in the past and Madison experts have been sent here to assist in culling flocks. One meeting of this kind, held at Fancher, was declared the largest attended of its kind in the state.

"The use of artificial lights to lengthen the period of time in which a hen can consume more feed is not a case of forcing a bird, but is a feeding problem," Mr. Halpin declared.

"Since the domesticated hen is supposed to have originally come from near the equator, where the days and nights are approximately 12 hours each, her digestive organs were developed to function for days and nights of equal length. A hen in Wisconsin is out of her natural habitat. In order to do her best work she must have at least a 12 hour work day."

"During the short winter days, frequently there are 15 to 18 hours between the evening and morning meal. An ordinary hen that is fed at 4:30 in the afternoon will not have any food left in her crop at midnight. As a result she sits and freezes the rest of the night. Her body heat comes from the action of digesting and assimilating food; hence in the short days of fall and winter she does not have a surplus of food to convert into eggs and to supply the necessary heat."

"Proper breeding, proper feeding, good housing, and good care combined with the use of artificial lights to lengthen the hen's workday is the real solution of high winter egg production," declares Mr. Halpin.

LAKE STILL CLAIMS HAL MARTIN'S BODY

Corpse Carried Far Out Under Ice, Divers' Work Ends in Failure

Madison, Jan. 10.—The body of Hal Martin, Madison attorney who was drowned here Friday night, when his automobile crashed through Lake Monona, was still missing today, as preparations were being made to remove the car from 35 feet of water.

An attempt to recover the body by wrapping it in a Milwaukee diver working all day in icy water, resulted in nothing. It is thought the current which keeps the ice from getting thick at the point where the car broke through, carried the body far out under the ice in the lake.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

William Rosenkranz, a veteran employee in the tinsmith department of the Krems Hardware company, was taken to St. Michael's hospital on Monday and operated upon in the afternoon for appendicitis. His condition is reported as favorable today.

He was taken to the hospital by him to close friends and associates of the deceased.

The generous bequest of Mrs. Goerke to the city of Stevens Point and to the State Normal school recalls many kindnesses performed by the deceased in the last years of her life. Many worthy families and numerous institutions were rendered assistance and it was often the case that the identity of the donors never became known, this being Mrs. Goerke's wish.

TELL ARCHITECT TO GO FORWARD WITH SKETCHES

Contract For High School Addition May Be Let Early In Spring

The joint building committee of the board of education and the common council voted on Monday evening to proceed without delay with plans for the new unit for the High school building.

Robert A. Messmer, Milwaukee architect who made preliminary sketches and subsequently revised drawings, was instructed to rush completed plans and specifications through within the next three weeks so that bids may be called for soon.

It is the opinion of the joint committee that the cost of construction work has reached its lowest ebb, that there is likely to be a slight upward trend in prices after the next 30 or 60 days, and that if satisfactory bids are received money can be saved by awarding the contract soon.

Action of the joint committee followed a conference with Mr. Messmer, who came to Stevens Point Monday afternoon especially to go over the revised plans with the members. They were also gone into in detail at a regular meeting of the board of education Monday evening, which preceded the joint committee session. The board took no action at that time, as the decision on what step should next be taken rested properly with the building committee of that body and the common council.

Mr. Messmer, in an informal explanation to the school board, said that the sketches had been revised so as to reduce the building to a minimum and still retain all of the necessary features; in order to reduce the cost. The most complete consolidation possible has now been effected without abandoning the original plans.

Auditorium Provided

The sketches provide for an auditorium with a seating capacity of 1,700, including a balcony with 300 seats. A gymnasium, which is also included in the unit, will not have a balcony. It is probable that the gym will not be completely finished in order to cut down expense.

It is believed by the architect and the joint committee that the present heating system in the High school building can be utilized in heating the new unit, after additions and changes have been made to it. This is a matter of state law in compliance with the state building code and will be acted upon by the state industrial commission. If the present heating system cannot be used and a new plant is necessary, this would necessitate an additional cost of approximately \$16,000, the architect estimated.

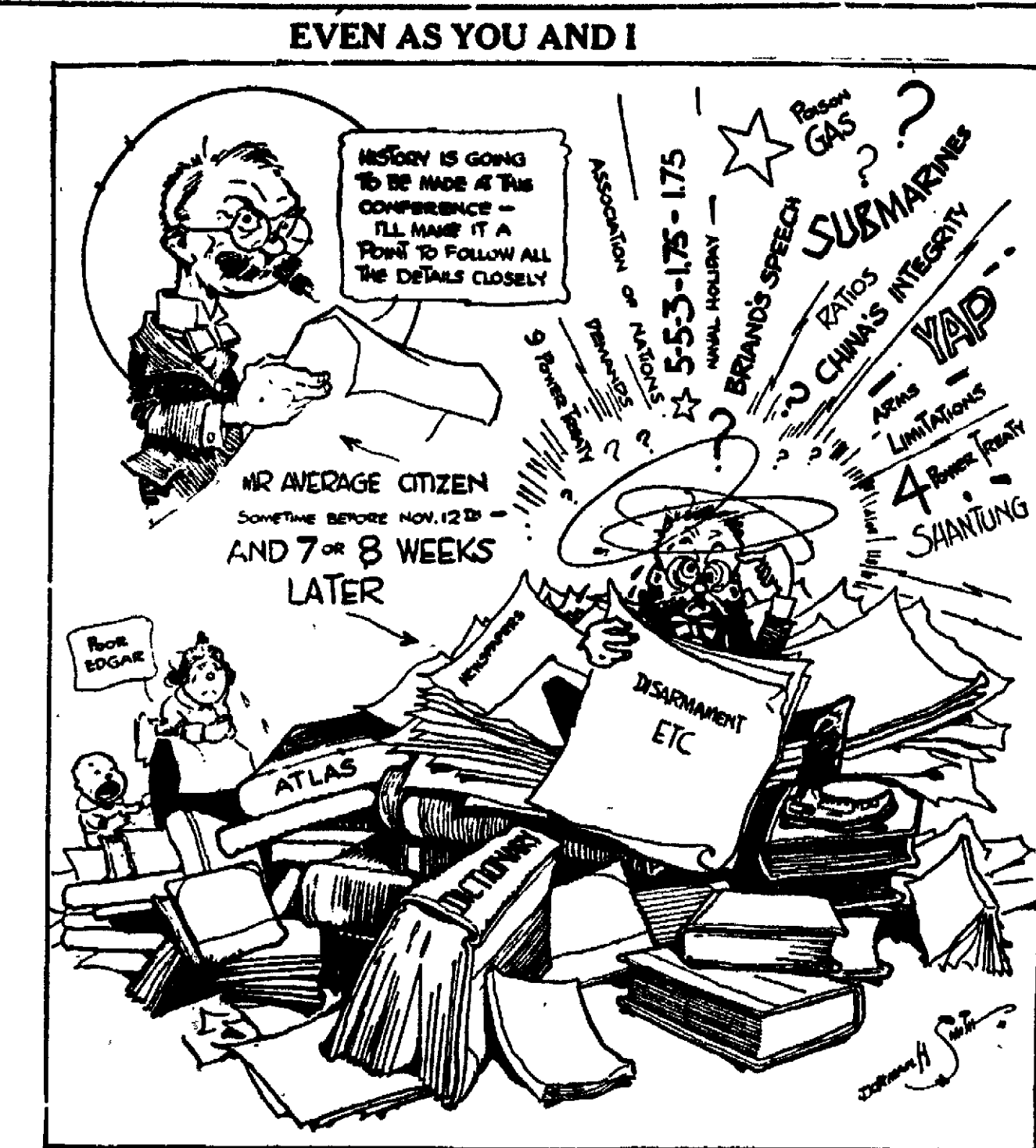
It is estimated that approximately \$20,000 will be required to remodel the basement of the present building and take care of the heating system now there. Only a portion of this figure would be expended for the changes in the heating plant, however, the remainder of the estimated figure being necessary to provide the basement changes, which will have to be made in any event when the new unit is built. It is possible that when final plans and specifications are received the balcony feature in the auditorium will be left out in order to effect a further saving. School board members, however, expressed the opinion that this should not be left out unless absolutely necessary.

To Keep Cost Down

Members of the joint committee were confronted on Monday evening with the problem of further reducing the building in order to keep the estimate of the cost down as low as possible. With every cut which it is possible to make incorporated in the final revised plans and specifications committee members hope to receive bids which are low enough to warrant awarding the contract not later than early spring. The final plans will probably include an incomplete gymnasium, use of the present High school heating system with necessary changes, a minimum of stone trimmings and other cuts, and may include an auditorium without a balcony. In addition to the auditorium and gymnasium, the unit will have 22 class rooms.

Vocational School

The question arose during the course of the discussion Monday evening as to whether the plans included space for taking care of the Stevens Point Vocational school, now housed in the Worralia building down



EPISCOPAL CHURCH ENDS BIG YEAR WITH ITS ANNUAL MEETING

R. A. Cook Elected Senior Warden and J. L. Jensen Junior Warden

The annual meeting of the Church of the Intercession was held in the church Monday evening with an average number of voters in attendance. All the organizations reported a good year and each has a small balance in the treasury to begin the new year.

During 1921 many improvements were made in the church and the rectory. The big windows in the church were in danger and these have been thoroughly repaired and buttressed so that the danger has been under the church, where the floor was beginning to sink, was concreted and the tiling of the floor re cemented and now all is in good order. This was done at a cost of about \$500. At the rectory two new porches have been built, a large front porch screened and a sleeping porch at the back with screens and storm windows. The rectory was also given two coats of paint. These improvements cost in the neighborhood of \$700.

Over \$12,000 has passed through the hands of the different guilds and the parish treasurer which is the largest general year the church has had. Of this amount some \$1,200 was spent for purposes outside the parish, such as missions, diocesan assessment, etc. The debt on the Parish house has been considerably reduced.

The elections resulted as follows: Senior Warden, R. A. Cook; Junior Warden, J. L. Jensen; Vestrymen, H. J. Week, W. E. Atwell, George B. Nelson, G. A. Swanson, Ray Clark, H. A. Vetter, E. H. Rothman. Members of the advisory council, A. A. Menzel, C. J. Macnish, W. J. Holman, Warren W. Clark, A. F. Bryan. Delegates to the annual diocesan council, A. H. Sikes, H. J. Week, R. A. Cook, E. H. Rothman, Ray Clark, Clerk, Mrs. Emmons Burr, Treasurer, A. H. Sikes.

A unanimous vote of thanks and appreciation was tendered the Journal for its splendid cooperation during the year in the publicity given the work of the church.

Sup. H. C. Snyder explained to the board that it is the plan to remove academic work into the new unit after it is completed, using the present building for physics and chemistry, domestic science and manual training and the vocational school. Under this arrangement there will be room for the Vocational school in the old building, he said. The arrangement will make it possible to use three first floor rooms for Vocational work. Other business of the school board

France And Britain Make New Alliance Two Premiers Agree

By WEBB MILLER, (United Press Staff Correspondent) Cannes, Jan. 10.—An Anglo-French defense alliance as the basis for European economic reconstruction and peace has been agreed on by Premiers Briand and Lloyd George.

The text of the British memorandum on the agreement is today being considered by members of the British cabinet, and is to be made public here tonight.

In French circles it was said the treaty is eminently satisfactory to France, and it will strengthen M. Briand's position with his parliament. The pact is to be signed by Britain and France. It may be enlarged to include Belgium and Italy, making a four power treaty, similar to that enacted for Pacific affairs at Washington.

APPEALS VERDICT

An appeal from a judgment returned in justice court last May was being heard in circuit court at the court house Tuesday. Walter Jarowski of the town of Dewey is appealing from a verdict of \$75 and costs of \$12.49 brought against him in a suit instituted by John Wryczka.

The case was opened Tuesday a. m. and a jury drawn, but was then adjourned, pending the arrival of Mr. Jarowski, who failed to get into the city Tuesday morning because of a misunderstanding. The trial of the case was started at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The following jury is hearing this case: Alice Monroe, John Bizalka, John Trzinski, Joe Washatko, Louis Starks, Matt Mathews, Anna Nugent, Basil Wanta, Erna Waterman, A. J. Martin, Frank Pawelski and August Friday.

Mr. Messmer, who has prepared all of the sketches for the unit and will now complete final plans and specifications, was the successful architect for the Milwaukee Elks' million dollar club house for which a contract will soon be awarded. Thirty-three architects from all over the nation applied for entrance in a contest to furnish the best plans and specifications. Fourteen actually competed. All drawings were unmarked so that the judges had no means of knowing who any of the architects were. The plans drawn by the firm of Robert A. Messmer and Brother were declared to be the best. A cash prize of \$1,500 was awarded to the Messmers.

SALOON IS RAIDED, ARREST PROPRIETOR ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Couple Residing on Fourth Avenue Appear in County Court Before Judge Owen

The saloon of Frank Ostrowski in the northwest corner of the public square, popularly known as the "Rusty Front," was raided by men from the police and sheriff's offices late Monday afternoon, and the proprietor arrested on a charge of having intoxicating liquor in his possession and under his control.

When the officers visited the place and searched the saloon they found a small amount of alleged intoxicating liquor in a glass back of the bar, together with a number of whisky glasses.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kiedrowski, 315 Fourth avenue, whose home was raided by the officers late Friday, were arrested late Monday afternoon on warrants charging them with the manufacture of intoxicating liquor. Mrs. Kiedrowski was arrested at her home and immediately arraigned before Judge W. F. Owen in county court. She pleaded guilty to the charge preferred against her, but in the absence of her husband, who was later arrested by the officers while he was at work, sentence was deferred until this afternoon at 2 o'clock, when the couple was to be brought before the judge.

Mr. Ostrowski pleaded guilty in county court Tuesday afternoon to a charge of having intoxicating liquor in his possession and was assessed a fine of \$200 and costs of \$33.97. The case against Mr. and Mrs. Kiedrowski was called Tuesday afternoon and then adjourned until Friday.

EIGHT CENT CAR FARES CONTINUE IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Chicago must still pay eight cent street car fare. Ruling by three federal judges continuing the temporary writ restraining enforcement of the five cent fare order of the state utilities commission pending final disposition of the suit brought by the Chicago surface lines

LEAGUE OF NATIONS MEETS ON ITS SECOND BIRTHDAY

Geneva, Jan. 10.—The League of Nations council met today on the second anniversary of the founding of the league. Paul Hymans of Belgium presided over the session. The council expects to launch formally the project of an international court at The Hague, which will open in February.

FREE IRELAND PICKS GRIFFITH AS FIRST CHIEF

Election Unanimous After De Valera and Followers Bolt

Dublin, Ireland, Jan. 10.—Arthur Griffith today was elected president of the Dail Eireann. The foreign minister under Eamon De Valera will head a provisional government to arrange for establishment of an Irish free state. Whether Griffith will also assume the presidency of the Irish republic, will be threshed out in the Dail later.

Griffith's election was made unanimous. A debate between De Valera and Griffith enlivened opening of the Dail session today. Griffith, speaking as leader of the majority, answered De Valera's objection that the Dail could not act save as parliament of the Irish republic, by saying: "We will maintain order and continue the Dail until the people have decided that."

The former president insisted the Dail must cease to function unless it maintains a republic. "We will uphold the republic until an election has decided that issue," Griffith answered.

DeValera Men Quit

After the debate, Michael Collins moved Griffith to be appointed president of the Dail. It was immediately seconded. As a protest against this motion, De Valera left the council chamber. His supporters followed him. When the De Valerites had withdrawn, the motion of Collins was carried unanimously and Griffith stood elected as president of the Dail.

SLAPPED GIRL'S FACE FINED \$4 AND 60 CENTS

John Killebrew of the town of Dewey was fined \$1 and costs of \$4.30 Justice G. L. Park Monday afternoon after he had pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery. The complaint was signed by Michael Hoppe, who alleged that on January 1 Mr. Killebrew slapped the face of his 15-year-old daughter, Rosa.

COURIER-JOURNAL BUILDING BURNED

Office Where Late Henry Watterson Wrote Stirring Editorials Is Destroyed

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 10.—Loss in a fire, which swept the Courier-Journal building here today may reach \$1,000,000. Built by General W. B. Haldeman, the building at the time of its completion was one of the wonders of the middle west and in it the late Colonel Henry Watterson labored.

WHITE WAY GOING UP

Replacement Order May Cause Delay In Finishing the Job

Installation of the city's white way is expected to progress faster from now on, H. G. Quandt, the contractor, told the Journal Tuesday. Four strands with globes attached at the top were erected Monday, making a half dozen installed in all by Monday evening.

Mr. Quandt declared that his crew should be able to install at least a half dozen of the poles each day from now on. The first work was begun near the Masonic temple on Main street and a being continued west toward the foot of that street. Poles were put up Monday near the Strongs avenue corner.

At least two weeks and perhaps longer will be required to complete the job. Some delay may be experienced because of damage done to some of the equipment in transit. It was found that eight of the cast iron standards were cracked when they arrived here and all will have to be replaced. It is not known how promptly this order can be filled.

FARE AND THIRD GRANTED TO MADISON CONVENTION

Madison, Jan. 10.—Excursion rail rates of fare and one half for round trip tickets from all points in Wisconsin to Madison and return were granted by the railroad commission for the period of the St. Lawrence Deep Waterway conference called by Governor John J. Blaine for January 18. The trips to Madison may be made on January 17 and 18, with limit for the return set for January 19.

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Recognition of Soviet Russia
Europe has been compelled to recognize soviet Russia as an accom-
plished fact. It was difficult for Eu-
rope where some monarchical senti-
ment lingers even in those countries
which have cast out kings; it should be
easier for America, where the right of
each nation to rule itself is a car-
dinal principle.

Russia rid itself of its throne, which
was a good thing, and went to the
other extreme, which was a bad thing.
But it was Russia's affair, and she,
like the rest of us, has the right to
make her own mistakes. She, as the
rest of us, resents foreign interference
in her internal concerns.

The world can only do, as it had
to do in regard to America when we
set up a republic here, recognize
whatever form of government Russia
establishes as the lawful government
and transact its business with it.
Whatever form of government Russia
has must keep its obligations, or it
cannot do business with other coun-
tries. It would be a rash business-
man who would today invest money in
Russia, or take any chances of get-
ting pay for shipments of goods. The
country has repudiated its national
debt; private debts are uncollectable.
That condition is not necessarily due
to the form of government, and it is
possible that the present form of gov-
ernment can continue with realiza-
tion of the ordinary rules governing
relations between man and man and
government and government. If the
present rulers of Russia and the pre-
sent form of government do not meet
the needs of the people, including
conformance with the rules of fair
dealing which have been the growth
of centuries of world experience, Rus-
sia in time will make the change and
substitute such forms as are thought
to be more conducive to her safety and
happiness. It is altogether her affair,
not ours. We can only let her alone
so long as she does not attack us.
As for those adventurous American
spirits who risk money and life in
Russia under present conditions, they
can take their chances and get their
reward in the joy of the dangers
through which they are likely to pass.

Enforcement of the Liquor Laws
The liquor laws, it seems to us,
should be enforced in the same way
as other laws—with no less and no
greater severity. The man who runs
a moonshine still and sells the prod-
uct ought to be arrested and prose-
cuted. If, instead of a fine, he were
sent to jail for a few months, it might
have a curative effect on him. The
drunken man found on the street is
in his condition because somebody has
broken the law; unless he reveals the
name of the guilty person, he should
go to jail for drunkenness. Energetic
enforcement of the law would soon
produce results.

Nor do we feel that the law should
be enforced with undue severity. Pen-
itentiary sentences for moonshining
seem to us too severe. Jail punish-
ment should be sufficient. Moonshin-
ing should not be ranked with murder,
burglary or other violent crimes in
which the victims come into personal
danger. Such exhibitions as we had
recently in Langlade county, where a
moonshiner running away was shot
and killed by prohibition officers, may
do much to damage the whole cause
of prohibition. No experienced offi-
cer of the law thinks of taking a man's
life when he attempts to escape arrest
for something less than a capital
crime. Search of homes for liquor is
also objectionable; as a man's home
is his castle, it ought to be immune
from entry by officers of the law
except when they are in the posses-
sion of ample proof of law violation,
and such penalties should be attach-
ed for failure to make good with
their proof after such search, as will
make them careful in the invasion of
homes.

Let us have reasonable, thoughtful,
considerate enforcement of the probi-
tion law, just as of any other law.
Either extreme is wrong.

Wood county, our next neighbor,
will rank second in the state in the
concrete road mile age to be put in in
1922. That's fine. We ought to be
proud of our neighboring county's record
in road-building. Until we get the
roads at home to drive on, we can
drop over the line into Wood county

and find driving first class. After a
time our own county is bound to fall
in line.

THIS CITY HEALTHY PLACE FIGURES ON 1921 DEATHS SHOW

January a Record Month for Low
Number but Four Other Months
Have An Unusually
High Total

Deaths recorded in the city of Stev-
ens Point during the year 1921 num-
bered 143, fewer than in 1920, 1919,
1918, 1916 and 1914, according to sta-
tistics kept by Miss Georgia Rogers,
deputy registrar.

In 1920 deaths in Stevens Point
numbered 152, in 1919, 151; in 1918,
146; in 1917, 142; in 1916, 133; in
1915, 134, in 1914, 146 and in 1913,
116.

Deaths by months during 1921 oc-
casionally low number for this
month; February 12, March 11, April
10, May 12, June 7, July 9, August 14,
September 13, October 13, November
22 and December 10. For the month
of August, September, October and
November the total was 66, unusually
high for that period. In 1920 for the
same four months they numbered but
40 and for 1919, 45.

January, 1919 had 15 deaths, Janu-
ary 1920 had 12 and January 1921, but
6.

The number of deaths caused by
pneumonia in 1921 was 13, diphtheria
5, tuberculosis 4, dysentery and acute
enteritis 14 and scarlet fever 1. Other
deaths were caused by various con-
tagious diseases and from other
causes.

FARM DEMAND FOR ICE GREATLY INCREASES

Storage Houses Profitable For the
Farmer in Cooling Milk
and Cream

"Judging from inquiries from all
parts of Wisconsin, the farmers are in-
terested in the construction of ice
houses," says N. S. Fish of the agricul-
tural engineering department of the
Wisconsin college of agriculture.

"The reason for this is obvious—
a supply of ice, put up at the cost of
\$1.50 a ton, will more than pay for
itself when used for cooling milk and
cream, and cold storage purposes."

Mr. Fish states that proper insula-
tion is the most important thing to
look for in building an ice house—
eight inches of dry sawdust or mill
shavings should be placed between the
inner and outer walls. The ceiling
must also be insulated.

"Most farmers have found it ad-
visable to build a cold storage room
adjoining the ice house. This can
easily be done and adds much to the
economy of the household," advises
Mr. Fish.

According to some dairymen, about
half of a ton of ice per cow is required
for cooling cream, and a ton and
one-half for cooling milk. Three to
five tons are required for the average
household. Forty-five cubic feet of
storage room will store a ton of ice.

**Called Fertilizer Plants Paying Big
Dividends to the Wiscon-**

sin Farmer
"Keep the cow and the clover for
they are fertilizer plants that pay
big dividends. A cow will return 50
per cent of her feed to the soil even
when every bit of her milk is sold.
The good clover plant will do even
better for it takes the nitrogen from
the air and makes it into available
plant food," says Griffith Richards of
the University of Wisconsin Soils de-
partment.

"Although commercial fertilizer
will undoubtedly be cheaper next
spring it will never take the place of
clover and good barnyard manure in
building up Wisconsin's farms. Com-
mercial fertilizer should be used not
as a cure-all but simply as an ad-
dition to legumes and manure. Many
of our farms are now in phosphorus
and in addition to about 100 pounds
of acid phosphate to the acre will of-
fer a good greatly increasing a good
stand of clover," says Mr. Richards.

POLICE REPORT SHOWS BUSIEST YEAR IN 1921

Prohibition Fails To Decrease
Arrests In City For
Drunkenness

The year 1921 was the busiest in
the history of the city for the local
police department, according to a re-
view of the past year, issued Friday
by Chief of Police John S. Hofsoos,
who has returned to active duty after
being off for more than six weeks
because of illness.

The 18th amendment has not caused
the number of arrests on drunk
and disorderly charges to diminish in
1921, according to the report. During
the past year 469 arrests on various
charges were made by the police, and
of that number 192 were for drunk-
enness.

In 1920 183 arrests were made in the
city, and only 23 were drunk and dis-
orderly cases. The increase in the
number of drunk and disorderly cases
in 1921 over 1920 is 169.

Chief's Report
The Chief's report follows: "The
year just ended was the busiest in the
history of the city for the police de-
partment and more fines and costs
were turned into the city treasury
than in any previous year."

"The crime wave which swept over
the nation did not hit Stevens Point
very hard, although we had a taste of
it in early summer, when several
hold-ups were reported to the police.
After playing their game for a short
time the hold-up men were appre-
hended and are now behind prison
bars. Since they were jailed no more
hold-ups have been reported."

"A careful investigation disclosed
that three of the hold-ups were fakes.
We found that the persons who re-
ported hold-ups had lost their money
and then asked the police to look for
a highway man whom they never saw."

Few Burglaries
"A few burglaries were reported
to the police headquarters. Some have
been accounted for and some have not.
At none of the burglaries was a big
haul made."

"Not a single complaint was made
to the police about women or girls
being molested on streets at night in
the city during the entire year. How-
ever, a little girl was attacked but not
assaulted by a moron in the town of
Plover outside of the city limits, and
although the apprehension of the guilty
person was not actually within the
jurisdiction of the city police we used
every effort to catch the moron, and
he was finally taken by one of our po-
licemen in a saloon just a few hours
before he intended to leave the city."

"No serious automobile accident oc-
curred inside the corporate limits of
the city, which is quite remarkable
considering the extensive traffic in
our narrow streets."

"Best and Safest City"
"Stevens Point is the best and safest
city in the entire state to live in. By
the cooperation of the citizens and the
several departments of the city gov-
ernment, it will be better, safer, clean-
er and more progressive than ever be-
fore."

"In closing I wish to thank Mayor
John N. Welsby for the interest he
has shown in assisting this depart-
ment in enforcing the city ordinances
during 1921. I also wish to express
my appreciation for the cooperation
and help of the city fire and police
commission, and trust that the same
cordial relations between the police
department and the mayor and fire
and police commission will continue
during the coming year."

**"JOHN S. HOFSOOS,
Chief of Police."**

Tabulation of Arrests
A tabulation of the arrests made in
the city during 1921 follows: Drunk
and disorderly, 192; speeding and
reckless driving, 98; operating autos
while intoxicated, 27; assault and bat-
tery, 10; abusive language and disor-
dly conduct, 18; fighting and resist-
ing arrest, 7; violating bicycle ordi-
nance, 7; vagrancy, 2; operating an
auto without being registered, 1; bur-
glary, 6; transporting and having
moonshine in possession, 18; raids on
search warrants for intoxicating li-
quor, 8; larceny, 3; delinquents, 4;
no support, 1; forgery, 1; fornication,
1; failure to stop and render as-
sistance to an injured person, 1; op-
erating an auto without the consent
of the owner, 1.

During the year there were 128
delinquents at local police stations. Po-
lice found 27 store doors unlocked
at night. Eight persons were ar-
rested for officers in other cities.
Five game animals were destroyed.
Sixteen matches were found and re-
turned to their owners. Five are still
reported missing, while one is in the
possession of the police, unclaimed.

**1921 DEATHS IN STATE
IN AUTO ACCIDENTS**

Deaths caused by automobiles in
Wisconsin during the first 11 months
of the past year, an increase of 22
over the same period of 1920, ac-
cording to the state board of
health. Of the 1921 deaths were the
greatest number due to auto acci-
dents, 10 persons were killed.

Missouri Father Of Christmas Day Baby Seeks Free Carriage

Urich, Mo., is a little town of less
than 500 population, but at least one
of the town's residents has heard of
the offer of F. E. Rosenow, Stevens
Point furniture dealer, of free car-
riages for babies born on Christmas
day.

Writing Mr. Rosenow from Urich
under date of December 28, a man
giving the name of Fred Boehler
said:

"I saw in the Daily American Tri-
bune where you gave a \$10 carriage
to every baby born on Christmas day.
I have a little girl born at 8:30 a. m.
on December 25. Does this entitle
me to one of your carriages?"

Mr. Rosenow's offer is restricted to
babies born in Stevens Point and un-
der it two carriages were given away
in the closing days of 1921. "I'd like
to be able to give a carriage to every
baby born in the United States ev-
ery Christmas day, but not being
able to do that I've got to be satis-
fied with providing carriages for Stev-
ens Point's Christmas babies," Mr.
Rosenow remarked to the Journal.

Mr. Boehler of Urich, Mo., has
been notified that Mr. Rosenow's offer
does not cover as much territory
as he had been led to believe.

WOODWORTH ELECTED TO IMPORTANT POST

Former Stevens Pointer Becomes
Junior High Head at Fond
du Lac

R. B. Woodworth, son of Mr. and
Mrs. N. E. Woodworth of this city,
has been elected principal of the
Roosevelt Junior High school at Fond
du Lac by the board of education of
that city. He is employed at present
as a teacher in the industrial arts
department of the Fond du Lac High
school.

Mr. Woodworth is a graduate of the
State Normal school of this city and
has attended the University of Wis-
consin several summers to complete
his work toward a degree. He will
finish this work in one or two more
summer sessions.

The newly elected principal at
Fond du Lac is now completing his
tenth year of teaching. His first po-
sition was that of principal of one of
the ward schools of Chippewa Falls.
He remained there one year and was
then promoted to be assistant principal
of the Chippewa Falls High school.

He remained in the latter position
for one year and then went to Lady-
smith, Wis., where he accepted a sim-
ilar position and taught manual train-
ing. After six years of successful
work there he moved to Fond du Lac
where he is completing his second
year.

Military service kept Mr. Woodworth
out of school work for about one
year. He is now teaching shop math-
ematics and manual training at Fond
du Lac. Since going to that city he
has had charge of the High school
during the noon hour.

Referring to the election of Mr.
Woodworth to the new position, the
Fond du Lac Commonwealth comments
as follows:

"He has always shown a keen in-
terest in athletics, music, dramatics,
public speaking and other student ac-
tivities. His references and former
work prove that he is well prepared
both in nature and training for the
administration of Fond du Lac's new
Junior High school."

Supt. R. W. Fairchild, formerly of
this city, stated that Mr.
Woodworth was recommended be-
cause he can fill the job. "We are
not looking for pedigrees but want
some one whom we can trust to do
the work," he said to the board of
education there. The appointment is ef-
fective January 30, 1922.

INGLE HEADS MASONS

Lodge at Almond Elects Officers
for the Year of 1922

The Masonic blue lodge at Almond
Portage county, has named officers
for 1922 as follows:

Worshipful master, E. E. Luch;
Senior warden, Glenn Johnson;
Junior warden, Jos. Washatke;
Secretary, A. H. Bowden;
Treasurer, Peter Peterson;
Senior deacon, G. G. Crowell;
Junior deacon, F. S. Putz;
Stewards, J. M. Rath, Frank Read,
Tyler, John Langbauer.

**LOCAL WOMAN'S UNCLE
EXPIRES IN OSHKOSH**

Mrs. Lena Koch left for Oshkosh
Saturday afternoon and her daughter,
Mrs. John Shaw, went down Sun-
day both being called there by the
death of Mrs. Koch's uncle, W. L.
Peterson, aged 75 years. While he had
been in poor health for several years,
his death came unexpectedly on Sat-
urday morning. The only member of
his immediate family is a son at
Oshkosh. A sister lives at Gilbert.
The late Mrs. C. Duiker of this city
was also a sister of the deceased.

FAULTY FLUE CAUSES SCHOOL ROOM BLAZE, BUT LITTLE DAMAGE

Children in St. Joseph's File Out
Without Confusion When
Alarm Sounds

Quick work of local firemen who
stopped a blaze in St. Joseph's school
at 10 a. m. Thursday saved the
building from destruction. School
had been called at the usual hour a
short time before, for the first time
after the Christmas recess.

The fire was discovered along a
flue connected with the heating sys-
tem in the room in which are the stu-
dents in the first, second and third
grades. The school's fire alarm was
sounded and within a very short time
and without confusion the building
was emptied of its 120 pupils.

Both companies of the fire depart-
ment arrived at the building shortly
after the alarm was sent in, and with
the use of chemicals soon had the
blaze under control. No water was
thrown.

School was not resumed and it will
not open again until Monday. Father
Shr announced.

Damage caused by the fire will be
light, amounting to \$50 to \$60.

FORM SALES COMPANY FOR OSHKOSH TRUCK

Local Men Incorporators of Con-
cern Which Will Handle
Commercial Machine

The Oshkosh Truck Sales and Fi-
nance corporation is the name of a
company which will handle the out-
put of the Oshkosh Motor Truck
company of Oshkosh, manufacturers
of the Oshkosh four wheel drive
truck.

Copies of articles of incorporation
of the new company have been filed
at the office of Register of Deeds
Ed. Larson at the court house. R.
C. McDonald, Arthur Beijer and H.
J. Week of Stevens Point are the in-
corporators.

The offices of the sales company
will be located in Oshkosh, while
Mr. McDonald will maintain a small
office here in connection with his
other business. J. E. Cummings of
Milwaukee has been named as gen-
eral sales manager of the company.
He has been for the last eight years
closely identified with the motor
truck industry and is recognized as
one of the able men in his line of
work.

One of the strong features of the
new company is that it has devised
means whereby sales of trucks may
be financed by the sales company it-
self. One of the difficulties in the
past, it is stated, is that prospective
buyers of trucks were unable to ne-
gotiate the purchases because of
lack of money. In common with other
lines of industry, the automobile
and truck sales companies were han-
dicapped because of that situation.

For the present at least the com-
pany will confine its efforts to Wis-
consin. A new fire truck is to be
delivered to the city of Marshfield,
and one has already been delivered to
the city of Winona, Minn.

NO WAUTOMA COURT TERM

All cases on the calendar for trial
at the January term of circuit court
for Waushara county having been
settled, Clerk of Court W. L. Roberts
at Wautoma has been notified by
Judge B. B. Park of this city that there
will be no term held at Wautoma this
month.

**A Rat Breeds 6 to 10 Times a Year,
Averaging Ten Young to a Litter.**

Remember this, act as soon as you
see the first rat. Get a pkg. of RAT-
SNAP. It's a sure rat and mice de-
stroyer. It's convenient, comes in
cake form, no mixing, mummifies rat
after killing—leaves no smell. Cats
or dogs won't touch it. Three sizes,
35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed
by H. D. McCulloch Co.

Girl Who Swallowed Poison Is Reported Now Out Of Danger

Fond du Lac, Jan. 7.—Miss Mollie
Larson, Stevens Point, Soo line sten-
ographer who swallowed a big dose
of lysol poison at her rooming house
here by mistake Thursday morning,
was pronounced out of danger today
by the attending physician.

Miss Larson's throat, which was
badly burned by the drug, is much
improved and she was able to talk
with ease to those at her bedside.
Her noticeable improvement since Fri-
day left no doubt as to her complete
recovery.

BIG ICE CONTRACT AWARDED TO OLSEN

Will Cut 30,000 Tons for Soo And FHL
Former Mill For An
Emergency

Ralph C. Olsen has again been
awarded the contract for putting up
ice for the Soo company and expects
to cut and haul between 25,000 and
30,000 tons within the next four weeks.
A crew of fifty to sixty men will be
employed. This season's output will be
5,000 to 10,000 tons larger than was
delivered to the Soo by Mr. Olsen last
winter.

The large ice house adjoining the
South Side freight depot which was
emptied several days ago, will be re-
filled and many car loads will be ship-
ped to Marshfield, Irvine and other
places along the line.

Besides taking care of this large
contract, the Olsen company will also
fill the large frame structure which
was formerly used as a saw mill by the
Clifford Lumber company, keeping the
ice for emergency purposes. This
property, which includes a considerable
acreage on the east bank of the
Wisconsin river, in the Fourth ward,
was later sold to the Vetter Mfg. com-
pany, but never put to active use by
this corporation. Mr. Olsen has bought
from the Vettters the mill structure
and 29 lots surrounding it.

**COUNTY BOARD MEETING
DATES ARE SELECTED**

The date of the 1922 convention of
the Wisconsin County Board associa-
tion has been set as February 8 and
9 by the Eau Claire committee in
charge of the arrangements, meeting
at Eau Claire with Norton J. Wil-
liams, Madison, secretary of the as-
sociation.

NEW PHARMACIST

B. L. Van of Green Bay, a regis-
tered pharmacist, has taken a posi-
tion with W. W. Taylor in the latter's
down town store. Mr. Van succeeds
J. R. Kiling, who left Stevens Point
to open a drug store at Glendale, Cal.

It Is Not Too Late To Join Our Christmas Club

There is still time to join our Christmas
Club and we urge those who have not done
so, to come in now and join.

The satisfied feeling of having money for
next Christmas, will well repay you for any
little sacrifice you may make.

Clubs for everyone.
1c, 2c, 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1, \$2, \$5, \$10,
\$20 or more.

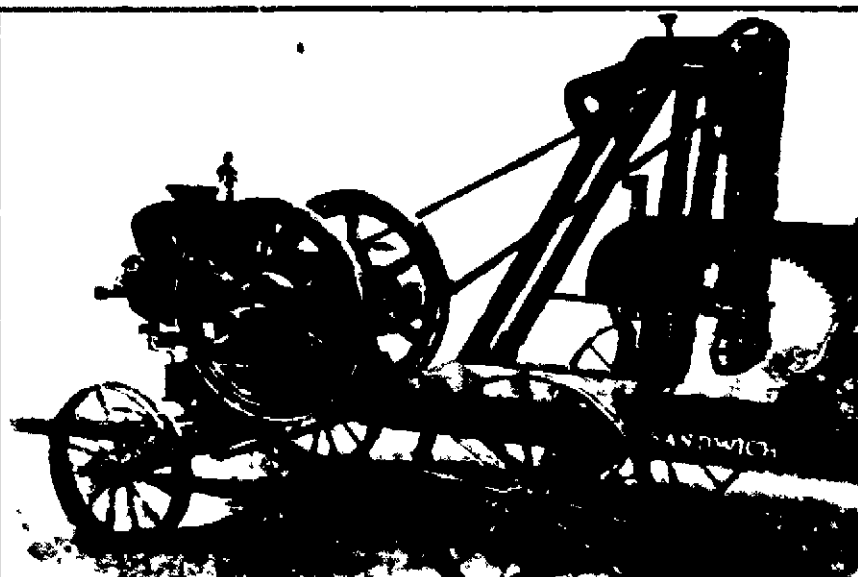
Come in. We will welcome you.

Wisconsin State Bank

STEVENS POINT, WIS.

LEVER-FEED SWING-SAW MA CHINE

Engine, 6, 8 or 10 h. p.
Cut shows 6 h. p.
Saw, 34 inches or less.
Arbor, 1 1/4 inches.
Belt, 8 inches wide.
Frame, Channel Steel.
Tightener, automatic.
Furnished complete or
without mounting or
without engine.



Call, Phone or Write
C. E. VAN HECKE
Stevens Point, Wis.

LOCAL CHURCH HAS FINE YEAR REPORTS SHOW

Any Improvements Planned by St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran People

Reports submitted at the annual meeting of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, held on Sunday evening, showed that a most successful year has just been brought to a close. The report of the treasurer, Arthur Redfield, brought out that \$2,400 was used during 1921 for home purposes within the church, and \$472 for other charitable purposes. The balance at the close of the year was \$1,000. Mr. Redfield was tendered a special vote of thanks for his faithful and efficient services.

William Zuege and Emil Ploetz were accepted on Sunday evening as new members of the church.

The constitution of the church which has been in the German and English language in the past and satisfactory in some respects, was revised and will hereafter be in English exclusively, it was voted. This was recommended by a committee composed of H. B. Brooks, the chairman, Arthur Redfield, treasurer and Rev. Huddloff, the pastor.

Create Church Council
It was further decided to create a church council to take the place of a board of deacons. The board of deacons has been composed of four deacons and the trustees, while the church council is to be made up of the deacons, the trustees, the secretary, treasurer and pastor.

Voting members will hereafter be accepted into the church when they attain the age of 18 years, it was decided. The former rule provided that they must be 21.

Pastor's Report
The annual report of the pastor, enumerated his church activities for the year as follows: Baptisms 13, confirmations 9, marriages 6, funerals 9, communion 370. The present membership of the congregation is 183, of which 260 are communicant members. There are 55 voting members in the church.

A proposal of Chairman Brook, that a men's club be formed was favorably accepted and it was decided to hold an organization meeting on January 23.

Plan Improvements
St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church is planning substantial improvements to the building and a fund of \$2,000 is now on hand. It is hoped to double that amount during the coming year. The improvement, which include renovating the parsonage, installation of a new furnace and new roof. It is also planned to organize clubs during the year for the purpose of raising funds to purchase glass windows for the building.

Officers Elected
The election of officers was also held on Sunday evening. Carl O'Connell was named trustee, and Albert Holdreger and Frank Resel were named deacons. H. B. Brooks was re-elected chairman, Arthur Redfield re-elected treasurer and Charles Gaedke re-elected secretary.

INDIANS TO RECEIVE NEARLY ONE MILLION

Out of Money Given Over to Tribe: For Timber Lands to be Paid

Ashtand, Wis., Jan. 9.—A belated Christmas present of more than two thirds of a million dollars will be distributed to 545 members of the Bad River Chippewas of the Bad River Indian reservation Thursday morning 12. Supt. P. S. Everest of Ashland, representing the government, will do the Santa Claus act, making the distribution at Odana's eight miles from Ashland. Of this amount, Mr. Everest will make cash payments of \$145,000 on at date, to 125 Indians who have been declared competent. The balance, amounting to \$518,200, will be turned on deposit in certain bonds and designated Wisconsin bank credit of minors and income payments at Ashland, Wausau, Wisconsin Rapids, Eau Claire, Superior and Waukesha.

The money will be the final payment for pine cut on the tribal lands, certain school lands and swamp land in the reservation, belonging to the Indians in common, and including money to pay for pine cut on certain lands belonging to individual Indians.

JUNCTION RUDOLPH CUT STALLS PASSENGER TRAIN

The passenger train from the north to the Milwaukee road was held up several hours in the cut between Junction and Junction City Sunday night by heavy drifts which were blown in over the right of way during the day. The snow was packed and several hours' work with axes and an extra locomotive were required before the train could pass.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Gus Hessler

Two years' suffering with rheumatism and other ailments was ended on Tuesday, January 3, when Mrs. Gus Hessler passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. R. Olson, corner of Water and Mill streets. Mrs. Hessler came here about five months ago from Cornell and was able to be about the house until the latter part of November. She was in intense pain almost continuously for many months and therefore her death came as a welcome relief.

Mrs. Hessler before her marriage on June 18, 1920, was Clara Steuck, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. Steuck, Sr., pioneer residents of the town of Eau Claire. She was born there 22 years ago the 5th of September. She attended the district school near her home and later enrolled at the Normal in this city, where she completed the teachers' training course in 1917. For the next three years she filled positions as teacher, one year at Custer and then for two years near Coloma.

Besides her husband, who has also been in Stevens Point for several weeks, the deceased leaves three brothers and three sisters, Herman, William and Ernest of Dancy, Mrs. R. C. Olsen and Miss Emma Steuck of this city and Mrs. R. G. Wichner of Dancy.

Prayers were offered at the Olsen home at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Rev. Rufus Huddloff, after which the remains were taken to St. Paul's Lutheran church, where funeral services were conducted by Rev. Huddloff. Interment followed in Forest cemetery.

George William Douglas
George William Douglas, or better known by the name of his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Holman, died at the latter couple's home, 426 Center street, on Tuesday, January 10. He was taken sick the day after Christmas with double pneumonia and sank rapidly despite the excellent care given him by Mrs. Holman, trained nurses and physicians. Tubercular trouble with which he had been afflicted since early childhood, left him in a weakened condition.

The deceased was born in Oshkosh nine years ago the 15th of last August. While yet a baby the boy became a member of the Holman household at Bancroft and came with them to Stevens Point when they moved here a few weeks ago.

His father, Joseph Douglas, lives at Coloma, as do also a sister and half brother, Lorna and Marvin Douglas. Rev. C. S. Pier of the Presbyterian church conducted the funeral rites at the Holman residence Friday morning at 9 o'clock. The body was shipped to Amherst on the 10:30 a. m. train and laid to rest in the Fleming cemetery.

Old Resident Dies
Chris. Herman, one of Stevens Point's oldest and best known Stevens residents, passed away at 4:30 a. m. Thursday at his home, 1008 o'Furth avenue. He had been in poor health for many years, first with rheumatism and later stomach trouble set in. Last August Mr. Herman went to Wausau, where he was operated upon at St. Mary's hospital. A few weeks later he appeared to be in much better health, but in October he old ailment returned and he was confined to his bed continuously for nearly three months.

Chris. Herman was born in Danzig, Germany, 58 years ago the 16th of last October. He came to America while yet in his teens and almost directly to Stevens Point and was married here in November, 1903, to Mrs. Catherine Prychla. They are the parents of seven sons and daughters. Ed. Herman, Mrs. Emil Engelsing of Plover, Frances, Proxides, Wanda and Wencelous, at home. There are also three step-children, Theodora Prychla of this city, Vincent and Stephen Prychla of Chicago.

For several years the now deceased gentleman was employed by the Wisconsin Central railroad in its local yards and later worked at the Doyle furniture factory, at Bukolt's and for the Belke manufacturing company on North Second street.

Ingolf Engsbretson
Ingolf Engsbretson, a life-long resident of Portage county, and for the last six months or more a resident of the town of Eau Claire, six miles from Junction City, died at his home at 2 o'clock Thursday noon.

His death was caused by tuberculosis and followed an illness of two years. He was a patient at Wales sanatorium from March until the latter part of May last spring, going from here to Eau Claire.

The deceased was born in this county and would have been 32 years of age on April 6. His widow, who survives, was Pearl Duranso of Eau Claire before her marriage. There remain five children, Lyle, Guy, Harold, Floyd and Robert. Robert, the youngest, is two years of age and the oldest, eight.

The father of the deceased, Edward Engsbretson of the town of Eau Claire, also survives, together with the following brothers and sisters: Anna and Inar, Chicago Heights, Ill.; Mrs. Ed. Schmidt, Blaine street, Stevens Point; Ed. Hedlof, and Sigurd, all at home in Eau Claire.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home in Eau Claire. Rev. Mr. Thompson of

Nelsonville officiated and burial followed in the Runkle cemetery near Junction City.

Young Boy Buried

Services for the late George William Douglas, foster son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holman, 426 Center street, were conducted at the Holman residence this morning by Rev. Charles Sumner Pier of the Presbyterian church. The body was taken to Amherst on the 10:30 Soo train and laid beside his grandfather in Fleming cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret Hermann

Mrs. Margaret Hermann, a resident of Stevens Point for the past four years, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Melvin O'Connor, 1228 Church street, at 4:45 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Hermann suffered a general breakdown in health in October, from which she never recovered. Illness with heart trouble and a stroke which she suffered, hastened the end. On December 6 she broke her right arm near the shoulder in a fall at the O'Connor home. She had partially recovered from this injury at the time of her death, however.

The deceased, whose maiden name was Margaret Trageser, was born at Alzanau, Germany, on December 6, 1848. She spent her girlhood there and was later married to William Hermann, also a native of Germany. Ten years afterward, or in 1878, the couple came to America to reside, locating at once in the town of Plover, Portage county.

Mr. Hermann died in the town of Plover on October 19, 1908. The widow remained at her Plover home until four years ago, when she came to Stevens Point to reside.

There survive eight children as follows: Mrs. Melvin O'Connor, city; Mrs. William Betts, Fairfield, Mont.; Emil, William and Fred, city; Arnold, Lena, Wis., Mrs. Boon Case, Brokaw, and Mrs. Warren Booth, McDill. There are also 15 grandchildren and one great grandchild. A brother of the deceased, Arnold Trageser, resides in Germany. Another brother, George, passed away at his home in Plover village last July.

Funeral services were conducted from St. Joseph's church at 10 o'clock this morning. Rev. H. J. Ehr officiating and interment following in the parish cemetery. All of the children with the exception of Mrs. Betts will be here for the funeral. A grandson, Frank Betts of Escanaba, Mich., is also expected. The deceased was a member of St. Joseph's church.

Elizabeth Wietrzykowski
Elizabeth Wietrzykowski, daughter of Michael Wietrzykowski, 702 Wadleigh street, died Wednesday, and her remains brought here from Oshkosh Saturday afternoon on Soo line train No. 5.

The funeral was held Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at St. Peter's church. Rev. S. A. Elbert officiating and burial following in St. Peter's cemetery.

Miss Wietrzykowski was born in Stevens Point 27 years ago and had always been a resident of this city. Two years ago she was afflicted with a nervous breakdown, and her health had gradually declined. The past two weeks her condition was serious.

Besides the father, there survive the following brothers and sisters: Walter, at home; John, Manitowish; Mrs. Alex Kalpinski, city; Mrs. Peter Wenzkowski, Pulaski; Mrs. Theodore Cycosch, Hanford Junction; Joseph, Hull.

Miss Wietrzykowski's mother passed away in Stevens Point five years ago.

Laid at Rest

The funeral of the late Engolf Ingobretson was held at the Lutheran church in Eau Claire Monday afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. Mr. Thompson of Nelsonville officiating. Burial took place at the Runkle cemetery at Junction City. The pallbearers were four brothers and two brother-in-laws of the deceased: Douglas, Edward, Hedlof and Sigurd Ingobretson and Edward and Thomas Duranso. The flower bearers were Mary Erickson and Elizabeth Frederickson.

Mary Catherine Doyle

Mary Catherine Doyle was born at Troopdown, Canada, November 26, 1867 and died at Custer, Wis., December 31, 1921.

She was the youngest daughter of the late John and Catherine Doyle. At the age of three years she came to Wisconsin with her parents and other members of the family, and has always lived at home, where she died. For a great many years she had been afflicted with throat trouble and for the past several weeks had been confined to her bed.

She is survived by five brothers and one sister, James of Rhineland, John of Waukegan, Peter of Lanark, Mrs. W. Mahanna of Amherst and Joseph and Michael at home.

She was buried from St. Mary's Catholic church at Custer of which she had always been a most devout member. Tuesday morning, January 2, Rev. L. M. Schorn officiating.

Young Woman Buried

Funeral services for the late Miss Elizabeth Wietrzykowski, who died at Oshkosh last week, were conducted by Rev. S. A. Elbert at St. Peter's church Tuesday morning at 8:30. Interment was in the parish cemetery. Those who served as pallbearers were Louis Kosmicki, Bernard Nowacki, Stanley Schuda, Louis Buland, Leo Gomsorowski and Florian Kostuch.

Society

Blaskiewicz-Kluczykowski

The marriage of Constance Kluczykowski to Joseph Blaskiewicz took place this morning at St. Stanislaus church at 9 o'clock. Rev. A. Malkowski performed the ceremony.

The bride and groom were attended by Catherine Blaskiewicz, a sister of the groom, and David Losa.

The bride was dressed in a gown of white beaded georgette. She wore a white veil of embroidered net, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and pink roses.

The bridesmaid was dressed in pink georgette, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. A reception was held today at the home of Mr. Blaskiewicz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blaskiewicz in the town of Hull. Relatives and friends of the bride and groom attended. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kluczykowski of the town of Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaskiewicz will reside in the city. With his brother Frank, Mr. Blaskiewicz operates a saloon on the public square. The couple will make their home in Stevens Point.

Former Teacher Married

Miss Carrie Archibald of New London, a former supervisor of the Stevens Point deaf school, was married at Menomonie, Mich., Nov. 24 to John F. Hooper of Crandon. They will be at home at the latter place after Feb. 15. Miss Archibald was prominent in woman's club work for many years.

Eva Malone Married

Many Portage county friends will be interested in the marriage of Miss Eva Malone, daughter of Chief of Police Thomas Malone, to Henry L. Robinson of Chicago, which took place at St. James church, Wausau, at 6:30 o'clock Monday morning, January 2.

The Rev. Father E. P. O'Toole performed the ceremony. Miss Antoinette Miller of Sharon and Thomas Malone Jr., brother of the bride, were the attendants. The bride wore a fur-trimmed suit of dark duvetyne, with a brocade sash and a corsage of bridal russel roses, sweet peas and stervia. Miss Miller, bridesmaid, wore a blue canton crepe dress with hat to match, and a large corsage of Columbia roses, sweet peas and stervia.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served to relatives, and immediate friends at Hotel Bellis. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson have gone to Chicago.

Hoyard-Murat

On the afternoon of Thursday, December 29, a pretty wedding took place at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hoyard, Scandinavia, when their daughter Myrtle, became the bride of Sidney Murat, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Murat of the town of Amherst.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. C. Smeby of Iola, in the presence of immediate relatives.

The bridal couple is well and favorably known to residents of Amherst and Scandinavia. The groom was graduated from the Stevens Point State Normal in 1913 and from the University of Wisconsin with the class of 1920. He is employed as county agent in Buffalo county. The bride is a graduate of a seminary at Red Wing, Minn., but has recently been living at home with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Murat expect to leave in a short time for Alma, Wis., where they will make their future home.

King-Lepper

Mrs. Mary Lepper and Frank A. King, both of this city, were married on Sunday, January 1, at the parsonage of St. Paul's M. E. church, Rev. R. A. Barnes officiating. The attendants were the parents of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. King will reside at 214 Mary street.

Married in California

A wedding of interest to Portage county people took place at Santa Ana, Calif., November 26, when Eula Smith, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith of Glendora, Calif., was united in marriage to Henry Anderson, also of Glendora.

Miss Smith is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Parks of Plover. She left Mehan nine years ago with her parents to make her home at Glendora.

Mr. Anderson is an officer in the United States army with headquarters at Honolulu. He will be discharged from service on March 25 of this year, after which Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will take up a residence at Glendora.

Mrs. Anderson is an expert pianist. She has played extensively throughout the San Gabriel valley and at a number of the largest entertainments in Pasadena and Los Angeles. Many friends here wish the couple a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

Married in Plainfield

Reginald Zwetz and Miss Vala Walker were married December 31 in Plainfield. For the present they will reside with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Zwetz in Leola and the bride will continue her work as teacher in that district.

Parish Guild Meets

The annual meeting of the Parish guild of the Church of the Intercession was held at the home of Mrs. Alex Krembs, Sr., on Main street

Thursday afternoon, when officers for 1922 were elected.

Mrs. Frank J. Blood was re-elected warden and will appoint her sub-wardens. Mrs. J. L. Jensen was chosen as secretary. Mrs. S. E. Karner treasurer and Mrs. A. C. Hanna member of the advisory council. Reports for the year were submitted.

Twenty-five More Members

One hundred and fifty Stevens Point men and several from out of town gathered at Odd Fellows' hall on North Third street Sunday afternoon and witnessed the initiation of 25 candidates into the local order of Moose.

Initiatory work started at 3 o'clock and was well executed by a team composed of officers of the local lodge. Cafeteria luncheon was then served, followed by a program of talks, the speakers including Mayor, J. N. Welsby, City Attorney W. E. Atwell, Dr. John T. Fish and J. W. Dunagan.

Members of Ladies' Chapter No. 211, who prepared and served the luncheon, received many compliments for their efforts. The Moose has by far the largest membership of any fraternal order in Stevens Point, numbering more than 800.

BITS OF NEWS Mostly Personal

SATURDAY

Robert Lutz and family have moved from 800 Church street to their modern home at 400 East avenue.

Miss Laura Price of Waukesha, spent Friday and Saturday at the home of her brother, Charles D. Price.

Myra Olson of Nelsonville, Elizabeth Hanna of Abbotford, Sarah Selinski of Junction City and Marguerite Hoppa, Myrtle Spindler and Bernice Laszewski of this city have resumed their studies at the business college after spending the holidays with relatives and friends.

Roy O'Keefe, Edward Hoppa and Carl Rogers of this city, Hubert Woyak of Custer, Edward Breitenstein of Stockton, Edward Berry of Buena Vista, Homer McGown of Plover and Norman DeLong of Junction City have returned to their work at the business college after spending the Christmas vacation at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurts and baby son have returned to their home on Strongs avenue after visiting at the home of Mr. Kurts' parents, W. Kurts, in Linwood.

Miss Mae Sennott, a teacher in the Chicago city schools, is visiting at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Doyle and will remain until Sunday.

Miss Gladys Blood left on her return to Hillsboro, Vernon county, today to resume her position as teacher there.

Mrs. Sarah J. Lynn, who is now a member of the Veteran's Home at Waupaca, spent several days here this week, a guest of Mrs. H. A. Vetter and other friends.

Miss Ruth Hagan of Athens was a visitor to this city Friday night while returning to her school duties at Pardeeville, Columbia county. Miss Hagan is a graduate of the State Normal here.

Miss Lucille Anschuetz returned to Almond today, where she teaches in the village high school. She had been spending the holiday vacation at the home of her parents on Main street.

C. A. Councilman expects to go to

Wild Rose next Monday for a visit of nearly three months with his daughter, Mrs. Ray Bowen. Mr. Councilman has been suffering with a cold for several days but it is hoped that a short period of good care will bring him back to health.

MONDAY

Robert J. Berndt, a patient at St. Agnes' hospital at Fond du Lac, is reported to be as well as can be expected, following an operation for the removal of an abscess in his chest last Wednesday. This is the third operation of that nature that Mr. Berndt has undergone in as many years.

Herman Crueger and Nick Koltz were here from North Fond du Lac Saturday on financial and other business and to visit friends.

Miss Catherine Rowe left on Saturday morning for Niagara, Marinette county, and Miss Iva Barager also went to Niagara in the afternoon. Both are teachers in the schools of that village.

Dr. J. D. Lindores has gone to Milwaukee to spend several days on business.

Mrs. L. R. Lamb has returned home after spending the holidays with her daughter in Chicago.

Mrs. W. F. Parker and Miss Veda Virum left for Milwaukee this morning on a few day's visiting trip.

Mrs. W. S. Vance and daughter, Mrs. M. M. Ames, are spending the day among friends at Oshkosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seguin and two children returned to Madison this morning after a visit at the home of Mrs. Seguin's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Simonsen. Mr. Seguin spent part of last week in Minneapolis attending a conference of salesmen for the Waterman & Waterman company, furnace manufacturers.

Mrs. Anna Rossman of Milwaukee is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Theresa Green on Main street.

Miss Stella Burns of Almond was a guest at Nelson Hall Saturday afternoon and night, leaving here Sunday noon for Park Falls. Miss Burns is teacher of history and Latin in the Park Falls high school.

Miss Allene Bird, a member of the high school faculty at Goodman, Marinette county, returned here on Sunday. She spent the holidays at

the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Bird.

Hugh Leonard, principal of the school at Lynmantown, a suburb of Park Falls, returned there on Sunday. He visited during the holidays with his father, J. E. Leonard.

Miss Jeanette Van Hecke left Saturday for Antigo to again take up her work as teacher in the high school.

TUESDAY

John W. Bovee of Pine Grove, who is conceded to be the best known newspaper correspondent in central Wisconsin, spent last night in this city on a business trip.

Jacob Sans of Bancroft came up last night and is attending to business matters in town.

Mrs. Ellen Faulkner, the trained nurse, boarded this morning's Soo train for Fargo, N. Dak., to enjoy a much needed rest and visit a few weeks with two sisters in that city.

J. H. O'Brien and young son Francis, left here today for Rochester, Minn., to consult Dr. Mayor in regard to the boy's arm, which was broken a few weeks ago while using playground apparatus. The break has not healed as well as expected considerably.

Jerry O'Connor of Minneapolis, general roadmaster for the Soo line, was a business visitor to this city last night and this morning.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Kollinski, 611 Franklin street, January 3, a daughter.

Miss Alma Breitenstein has returned to her home at Stockton after visiting two weeks with relatives and friends at Wausau, Knowlton and Wisconsin Rapids.

Frank Richter, one of the best known farmers in the town of Saron, east of Polonia, spent part of today in the city on business. Because of the condition of the highways, making travel almost impossible, Mr. Richter came to the city via Custer, from which station he took a morning passenger on the Soo, returning on an afternoon train.

NOTICE

The tax roll for the town of Linwood will be at Skalski's store every Thursday and Saturday during January and February.

Adv. d2 g1* NICK BRITZ, Treas.

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FARM OUTLOOK BRIGHTER SAYS COUNTY AGENT

Definite Improvement Expected For This Year in Portage County

"It is unlikely that 1922 will show anything but an improvement for the farmer over 1921," says County Agent W. W. Clark in a communication on the agricultural outlook for 1922 prepared by him at the request of the Journal. "In other words, the farmer cannot very well be worse off than he was this past year."

"Some signs indicate definite improvement. Generally speaking, the farmers' hard times in 1921 were due to over production, reduced buying power of the American public and foreign countries, and lack of ordinary marketing under the control of the producers. Those conditions are now being studied and remedies proposed in several directions. The whole nation has awakened to the fact that unprofitable farming is unprofitable for everyone."

More Clover—Less Corn

"Over-production of cotton was prevented in 1921 by organization of growers and reduction of acreage. Acreage will be limited again this year. 'More clover and less corn' is being advocated by farmers' organizations in the Corn Belt and will undoubtedly result in a smaller crop this year. Farmers as individuals are curtailing operations and undoubtedly the supply of farm products will be reduced to more nearly fit the decreased demand in 1922."

"Congress and private capital are both attempting to provide credits to finance exports to foreign countries. With the increased business being done by some of them, an increased supply of available capital to be loaned and the improvement in the exchange rate of late, it is likely that exports of farm products will not be limited to such an extent by lack of buying power abroad. Here at home, high freight rates and excessive retail prices in many places on foodstuffs have combined to reduce consumption and give the producer an average price only one-third of what the consumer pays. This situation is slowly improving."

"Farmers are realizing that their marketing problems will never be solved unless they do the solving themselves. In the last two years, farmers' organizations have become more powerful than ever before in American history and they are spending their own money to study marketing and improve it. State and national organizations to promote more orderly and efficient marketing of many special products are now functioning or in process of forming. Undoubtedly 1922 will see some results from this work which will benefit the farmer."

"1921 was a disastrous year generally for agriculture in Portage county. A combination of a favorable year with lots of hard work in 1922 will be necessary if the majority of our farmers are to wipe out the losses incurred in the preceding year. However, there are some encouraging signs."

Dairy Outlook Favorable

"A year ago feed was high and many men were overstocked with fine cows for which there were no buyers. At the present time feed is reasonable compared with the price of butterfat at the creameries. Cheese producers are not quite so well off, but their price is nearly 50 per cent higher than the low figure of last summer."

"Dairy cattle are in great demand by outside buyers, and although beef is very low, those farmers who have paid attention to breeding good stuff are receiving prices for cows and heifers very much higher than even three months ago. Portage county breeders of dairy cattle should join and support their community and county organizations, which would greatly increase the market for their stock."

Potato Prospects Improve

"Potato producers are again well faced by a demand market for a bumper crop. Prices at the present time are higher than they were a year ago and it is believed by many growers that the low point in the market has been passed. The crop is expected to be at least as large as last year's. The potato market is expected to be a good one for the coming year."

"The winter term of circuit court for Portage county was called this morning at the court house after a recess, in this county, of two weeks. During the past week Judge B. R. Park has been holding court in Wisconsin Rapids for Wood county."

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clover and soy beans for hay this year will start the farm on the upward path again. And fortunately, soy bean seed is cheap."

North Half Better Off

"The northeastern and northwestern sections of Portage county are somewhat more favorably situated with regard to hay prospects for 1922 and maintenance of soil fertility in general. Linwood, Carson and Eau Claire townships are developing their dairy interests rapidly and the next few years will undoubtedly see this section one of the most prosperous in the whole county."

"Dewey and Sharon townships are also developing rapidly and the northeastern section has suffered much less during the past year by reason of dairy development which has taken place recently. Farmers around Rosholt especially are supported by the business men of that locality in making improvements and using all the scientific information which is available in bettering their farm practice and improving their stock."

COUNTY FINES SENT TO STATE TREASURER

Sum of \$5,867.63 Vastly Larger Than Amount Mailed One Year Ago

A check for \$5,867.63, representing 98 per cent of the fines collected in Portage county during the past year, was mailed by County Treasurer Earl Newby to State Treasurer Henry Johnson last week.

The amount of fines collected this year is vastly larger than it was a year ago when only \$746.78 was sent to the state treasurer. Heavy fines for violation of the liquor laws have been responsible for the increase, it is said.

Two per cent of the amount collected, \$119.75, was placed in the general fund of the county. The amount placed in the county treasury on January 1, 1921, was \$15.22.

In the same mail Mr. Newby sent a check for \$433.03, which is the state's share of inheritance tax paid into the county treasury during the past quarter. That sum represented 92½ per cent of the total collected while 7½ per cent \$38.40 was placed in the general fund of the county.

The estates upon which inheritance taxes were paid, and their clear market values, follow: S. P. Kollock, Almond, clear market value, \$14,735.07, tax, \$37.16; George B. Allen, Amherst, clear market value, \$42,438.68, tax, \$327.10; John A. Bowden, Stevens Point, clear market value, \$9,265.50, tax, \$115.33; Fannie M. Thorn, clear market value, \$10,198.78, tax, \$32.46.

POOR PRICES PAID BY STOCK BUYERS

Farmers Will Have to Be Given Credit to Get Their Seed This Year

Editor Journal: I was very much interested in reading the optimistic comment on the outlook for 1922. None has discussed the farmer's problems at length except Mr. Duneagan. He mentions livestock as their surest resource. That is where they received their hardest bump. Our local buyers would offer only \$2 per hundred weight on foot. Many were sold for this figure. The average weight of cattle in Portage county is about 900 pounds. It costs about \$35 to raise a two year old without mentioning the labor. With the present prices of dairy products and hay worth \$18 per ton and feed \$27 per ton, the profit in dairying is so small that it is hard to figure out. The farmer will weather through if given a chance, but many farmers will have to help if they make a successful fight. A large number of them will be obliged to buy seed grain and potatoes and most of them are without money. They will be obliged to have credit or their farms will go unimproved. With the best farms of the state paying around 2 per cent the outlook for farmers is not very bright.

J. J. S.
Stevens Point, Wis., Jan. 3, 1922.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES

IN ATTENDANCE CONTEST
To stimulate interest in church attendance, the Portage county churches of the Presbyterian denomination are holding a contest for the month of January. The contest is for the best attendance in each church. The contest will last until the end of the month. Prizes will be awarded to the churches with the best attendance. The contest is for the month of January.

PIONEER DIES SUDDENLY

Mr. J. J. S. died suddenly at his home in Stevens Point, Wis., on January 10, 1922. He was 65 years of age. He was a native of Wisconsin and had lived in Stevens Point for many years. He was a member of the Presbyterian church and was a very active worker in the church. He is survived by his wife and several children.

FIRES IN YEAR CAUSE DAMAGE OF \$17,314.50

One County Resident Loses Life As Result of Big Blaze

Fires during 1921 caused damage amounting to \$17,314.50 and called out the local fire companies 73 times.

The report of Fire Chief C. H. Packard to the state fire marshal shows that the value of the buildings threatened by fire was \$172,550, the damage to the buildings by fire was \$10,420, the insurance on the buildings \$83,450, the value of the contents, or personal property, \$87,900, the damage to the personal property \$6,894.50 and the insurance \$87,350.

Not Confined to City

The 73 runs which the Stevens Point fire companies made during the year were not confined to the city limits. The fire truck made four runs into country districts about Stevens Point to give what aid the firemen could, two of which were to the village of Plover.

One man in Portage county lost his life during the past year by fire. Henry Schultz of the town of Carson was burned to death on March 19 when he went into a burning barn in an attempt to save cattle within the structure. The fire truck made a run to this fire but was unable to give help because of a lack of an adequate water supply.

Two People Injured

Two people were injured by fire, J. J. Heffron and Jeanette Huff, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Huff, 307 Water street. Mr. Heffron was burned when kerosene with which he was making a fire in the furnace in his home exploded. An oil stove which set fire to a carpet in a bedroom in the Huff home caused the fire which injured little Jeanette.

The runs which the firemen made into country districts were on May 24, to Plover, when the store of Leo A. Piska at Plover was totally destroyed by flames, the firemen being unable to stop the blaze because of an inadequate water supply; March 19, to the home of Henry Schultz at Carson; July 14, to the Frank Mish home in the town of Hull north of Plover street, which was totally destroyed, there being no water supply within a reasonable distance of the flames; August 6, to Plover, when the Carley warehouse was threatened by fire. Little damage was caused at this fire.

Biggest Fire

The biggest fire of the year occurred at the home of Rex A. Jacobson at 402 Pine street on June 19. The entire home was damaged by a blaze which gutted the upper part of the structure. The immense amount of water which was thrown soaking down into the rooms on the first and second floor. Damage caused to this home amounted to \$3,000. It was estimated, fully covered by insurance.

The destruction of the barn at the rear of the residence of Dr. E. P. Crosby at 625 Main street September 21, was spectacular, the blaze attracting hundreds of people. The building was gutted and with the contents, entailed a loss of \$1,000.

Other heavy losses were caused by fire at the following places: H. C. Moon flat building at 211 South Third street December 23; R. W. Morse home at 115 North Division street, February 19; Nine room house of August Graczkowski, South Minnesota avenue destroyed, February 18.

Number Is Smaller

The number of alarms to which the firemen responded during 1921 was lower than the number in 1920, when 86 were turned in. In 1921 they numbered 73.

The number of alarms turned in in 1919 was 46; in 1918 65; in 1917 52; in 1916 64; in 1915 49.

Records of alarms to which the companies respond are kept at Engine House No. 1 by Herman Krembs.

CIRCUIT COURT OPENS

First Case Is Called After a Recess in County of Two Weeks

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The plaintiff, Carl T. Gunderson, is suing his brother, Arthur J. Gunderson, for the payment of what he alleges is his brother's share of the expenses of the maintenance, nursing and care of their mother, Sarah Gunderson, during an illness extending from October 13, 1915, to April 14, 1919, when she died. The plaintiff alleges that his brother's share amounts to \$10,000, and that the amount has not been paid.

Hip Pocket Bottles Secured By Calling At Station Lockers

Has the parcel locker in the railroad station become an instrument of the man now popularly known as the moonshiner, as a place for depositing "wet goods?"

Rumor says that it has and that the Stevens Point Soo line station, where a row of steel parcel lockers is located, is not exempt.

Mr. Moonshiner, by agreement, according to local stories, takes a bottle of the prohibited liquor to the station, deposits a dime in the slot in the door of one of the lockers, places the bottle inside, locks the door and removes the key.

By previous agreement the man selling the prohibited stuff received a cash remuneration, and after the bottle has been duly deposited, sends the key by mail to the purchaser. The person in possession of the key is the only one who can reopen the locker and it is said that at times of the day or night when the station is deserted, the moonshiner passes out of the locker and into the hip pocket.

The advantage of the scheme, it is claimed, lies in the fact that no suspicion can be attached to the purchaser because of being seen making the personal transfer of the bottle.

MARGARET ASHMUN'S LITERARY EFFORTS ARE GIVEN PRAISE

Local Girl Is Recognized in Article as One of State's Most Noted Authors

Recognition that Miss Margaret Ashmun, daughter of Mrs. C. S. Ashmun, 112 Prentice street, is to be ranked with Zona Gale and Hamlin Garland as noted Wisconsin authors, is contained in an article carried under a Waupaca date line in a Sunday Milwaukee newspaper.

Following is the article: "Zona Gale and Hamlin Garland are not the only noted Wisconsin authors. Their works have attracted national attention and they have written so much about the state that their names are almost household words. But there is one authoress, born in the potato belt of northern Wisconsin, who is also entitled to consideration. Few persons known that this woman, Margaret Ashmun, is a Wisconsin product."

"Wisconsin boasts of her children who have risen to fame in literary circles, but the name of Margaret Ashmun, brilliant short story writer and author of highly lauded books on rhetoric, has not been linked with the Badger state's hall of fame."

"Miss Ashmun was born on a farm in Waupaca county. Her mother is Mrs. Claude Samuel Ashmun of Stevens Point. She was graduated from Stevens Point Normal school, received her Ph.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1904, her M.A. degree in 1908 and continued her study there during her years as instructor in English in the university from 1908 to 1912. Her career as a teacher began in the Stout institute at Menomonie, in 1904 and later she went to teach in high school at Helena, Mont. In 1907 she became instructor in the English department of the university, where she remained until 1912, when she went to New York to engage in literary work."

"Of the impressions left by Miss Ashmun in the English department of the university the most outstanding is probably her vivacity and amazing industry, combined with an obvious sense of humor. She was an enthusiastic teacher in her favorite course, in narrative."

"After she left Madison she gave evidence of retaining her interest in the university by offering a prize for the best short story written in sophomore composition. Her collection of modern short stories is highly praised as holding the balance between Henry James' classic and the near classics of contemporary work, as well as combining an international point of view."

"Some of her best known works besides her contributions to magazines are 'Composition in the High School,' 'Prose Literature for Secondary Schools,' and a book on rhetoric written in collaboration with Mr. Lomer."

HIGHWAYS STILL BAD

Wauau Road Said to be Impassable to Auto Traffic

The big blizzard of last week has left country roads in almost impassable condition and while sleighs are able to make their way through, the highways are blocked to auto travel. A resident of Ashley, who came to Stevens Point with a horse and sleigh on Sunday, reported that the winds have piled up drifts many feet in height in several places on No. 10 north of this city. At one point about four miles from the city the drifts present such a perilous condition that the occupants of the cutter were forced to get out and walk along beside the sleigh for a distance, holding it up so it would not tip over. In places numerous detours through high fields are being made instead of the regular highway to the city.

MADISON LAWYER FORMER POINTER TRAGEDY VICTIM

Drowns When Automobile Goes Through Opening in Lake Monona

Madison, Wis., Jan. 9 (Special to the Journal)—The sudden disappearance of an automobile tail light and the finding of marks of tire chains up to the edge of an opening in the ice disclosed a tragedy in which Hal R. Martin, prominent Madison attorney and general manager of the Municipal Traffic Devices company of this city, lost his life by drowning in Lake Monona Friday evening.

Persons some distance away noticed the tail light disappear and then found where the tire chains had cut into the ice when Mr. Martin, driving alone in the car, had applied the brakes in an effort to stop the machine. A search for the body was begun as soon as possible, but up to this noon neither the body nor the car had been located. The point at which the automobile plunged into the lake is about three blocks from shore and the water is about 24 feet deep.

Mr. Martin had gone across Lake Monona early in the evening to make a call at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry Butler. On returning Mr. Martin got off the traveled route across the lake and drove directly into the opening in the ice. He was driving a Studebaker roadster.

Mr. Martin was 34 years of age and is survived by his widow and two children, Betsy, aged nine, and Claire, aged seven.

Former Local Man

Harold R. Martin, a resident of Stevens Point for many years, was well known in this city. He was born on the Martin farm in the town of Carson, Portage county, on June 20, 1887, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar H. Martin, now residents of Harvey, Ill.

The family removed to this city when Harold was 10 years of age and he enrolled at the State Normal school shortly afterwards, completing his elementary grades and an advanced course, and graduating in about 1906. He was prominent at the school, participating in many activities and winning high honors in oratory. The Martin home was in the 1300 block on Clark street.

The father of the young man, at the time of his graduation, was a traveling salesman for a road machinery firm having headquarters in Harvey, Ill., and after Hal completed the Normal course the mother, her son and a daughter, Hazel, removed to Madison in order to give the son a university education. He attended the University of Wisconsin for four years and was graduated from the law school, then going to Edgerton, Wis., where he practiced law for a number of years. Mr. Martin returned to Madison to practice law about four years ago and had since been a resident of that city.

Invented Traffic Signal

Mr. Martin was the inventor of a "stop-go" traffic signal, which he perfected about two years ago. Since then he had devoted most of his time to its manufacture in Madison and held exclusive rights for its sale in two states.

Mr. Martin was married to Miss Lillian Butler of Madison about 11 years ago. She survives him and there are also two daughters, Betsy, aged nine years, and Claire, aged seven.

The only sister of the deceased, now Mrs. Edwin Stahling of Bozeman, Mont., is spending the winter with his parents in Harvey, Ill. Mrs. Charles Cartmill, B. V. Martin and S. A. Martin of this city are sister and brothers, respectively, of Delmar H. Martin, father of the late Hal Martin. While known as Harold among local friends, the deceased was best known as Hal in Madison.

Local relatives believed it improbable today that the remains, when found, will be brought to Stevens Point for interment. It was believed that the funeral will be in Madison on account of that city being the home of the widow.

EX-SERVICE MEN SIGN

PETITION AGAINST CASH

Petitions have been signed by local ex-service men and circulated by Michael Rybicki and to be mailed this week to the headquarters at Washington of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Each petition puts its signers on record as being opposed to the cash bonus plan of compensation to former soldiers, but favoring four other provisions for adjusted compensation contained in a bill which has been proposed in the house of representatives.

RAPIDS POST OFFICE

NOW IN FIRST CLASS

The Wisconsin Rapids post office with stamp sales of more than \$4000 has been advanced from a second class to a first class office. Announcement of the new rating has just been received in that city.

COLBURN EXPLAINS INCOME TAXATION

Numerous Changes in New Revenue Act of 1921—Blanks Not Yet Ready

L. W. Colburn, United States deputy collector for this zone, which includes Portage, Wood and Waushara counties, is spending several days in the city checking delinquent taxes for 1919 and 1920.

In explaining the new revenue act of 1921, which makes numerous changes in the income tax regulations for individuals, Mr. Colburn said: "The new law requires every single individual who has a net income of \$1,000 or more to file an income tax return to the federal government. This is the same exemption previously allowed."

"The law requires every married individual who has a net income of \$2,000 or more to file a return whether any tax is due or not. The law has allowed a married taxpayer an exemption of 2,500 providing the net income is less than \$5,000, and an additional exemption of \$400 for each dependent other than husband or wife. The previous laws allowed married taxpayers \$2,000 exemptions and \$200 additional for dependents. A taxpayer whose net income is \$5,000 or more is entitled to an exemption of only \$2,000 if married. The new law allows the 'head of a family' the same exemption as is allowed a married individual."

"Under the present law any individual who has a gross income of \$5,000 or more is required to file a return whether he pays any federal income tax or not. This will affect a great many of the smaller merchants and farmers who have heretofore never filed a federal income tax return. "All taxes paid with the exception of federal income taxes and special improvement taxes are deductible against gross income, as well as all interest paid on all contributions made to religious, charitable or educational institutions. The 1921 federal income tax law are not yet ready for distribution and Mr. Colburn states that the act that he will spend in Stevens Point giving assistance to taxpayers is definitely fixed. He is not in a position to give assistance at this time all of his time is now occupied with delinquency cases."

The sum which was paid represented income tax upon money received from the sale of the Whiting company, in which the late Mr. Martin was a stockholder. Plaintiffs all that the money received from Whiting Oil company's sale could be taxed within Wisconsin as transaction was made and complete in the state of Oklahoma.

Incombustible Gas.
Gas that is practically incombustible is yielded by some of the wells drilled for natural gas in Oklahoma.

HOUSEHOLD ACCOUNTS

In this day and age most women use every up-to-date appliance in the running of their homes.

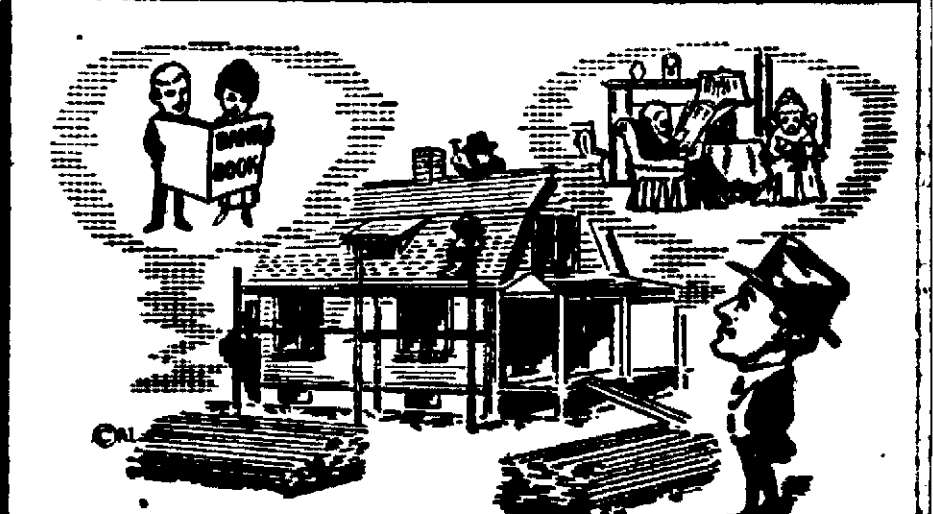
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Stevens Point, Wis.

BUICK SERVICE STATION TO BE ERECTED HERE

R. E. Newby Purchases Adams Property at Main and Church Streets

R. E. Newby, local Buick agent, Friday announced the purchase of what is known as the Sam Adams property at 603 Main street from Jos. Okray, and plans for the construction at that location of a large and modern Buick service station and sales room. An investment of \$25,000 will be represented in the purchase of the land and the erection of the building.

According to the terms of the sale, Mr. Newby becomes the owner of land on Main street covering a frontage of 71 feet and including a part of the lot upon which the residence occupied by Joseph Okray at 607 Main street is located. The property changing hands has a depth of 125 feet, extending south as far as the First ward school grounds.

A provision of the sale stipulates that Mr. Okray shall remove the corner dwelling, the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams, prior to April 1. This dwelling remains the property of Mr. Okray.

Build in Spring
Mr. Newby intends to begin excavation and construction work early in the spring and plans to have the service station completed by July 1. The structure will occupy practically all of the ground space purchased. It will be a brick building, one story with basement.

A show room in the front will occupy the entire width of the service station and will extend back a distance of 30 feet. Office rooms and a department for Buick parts will be located to the rear of the show room, adjoining it, and at the rear of this will be a large Buick service shop. Mr. Newby intends to cater especially to Buick patronage in the shop. The basement will contain the heating plant, battery and storage departments.

Desirable Location
The property purchased by Mr. Newby has been one of the city's best residence locations for many years. It was purchased by Mr. Okray, together with additional property adjoining it on the east, and the two dwelling houses located thereon, from Mr. Adams a little over a year ago for \$10,000.

In announcing his building plans, Mr. Newby said: "I intend to put up a service station with the largest floor space of any building of its kind in Portage county. A large plate glass front will be put in and the station will be handsome both on the exterior and interior." A complete stock of tires and accessories is also to be carried in addition to the parts handled. The establishment will front on Main street.

Engage Salesman
Mr. Newby also announced that he had entered into a contract for the services of A. R. Mularkey, city, who will be sales manager for him. Mr. Mularkey for the past year has been a general salesman for the G. A. Gulikson company. He has devoted 12 years to automobile salesmanship in Chicago, Neillville, Marshallfield and Stevens Point, holding a position with the Studebaker company in Chicago for three years. He is well known here and has made many local friends.

A. G. Olson, mechanic for Mr. Newby for the past five years, will continue in his employ and will have charge of the Buick parts department in the new station.

Mr. Newby has had the local agency for Buick cars for the past three years and has handled this make of machine exclusively. Prior to coming to Stevens Point, he handled Buicks at Arnett for four years and for many years prior to that was in the implement and potato business at Arnett. The present sales rooms are located at 119 Stronga avenue.

Buicks Down in Price
A substantial reduction in the prices of Buick cars, effective January 1, is expected to greatly stimulate their sale. New prices are as follows: 22-Four-34, two passenger roadster, \$2895; 22-Four-35, five passenger touring, \$3495; 22-Six-41, three passenger roadster, \$1245; 22-Four-34, three passenger coupe, \$1295; 22-Six-41, five passenger touring, \$1125; 22-Four-35, five passenger sedan, \$1295; 22-Six-41, seven passenger touring, \$1295; 22-Six-41, three passenger coupe, \$1295; 22-Six-41, four passenger coupe, \$2095; 22-Six-41, five passenger sedan, \$2145; 22-Six-41, seven passenger sedan, \$2295. All these prices are f. c. b. Flint, Mich.

AUTO SHOW IS PLANNED

Will be Staged Here in April Under C. of C. Auspices

The Chamber of Commerce is making preliminary plans for an automobile show, which will probably be held here in April. It is hoped to make this the biggest show of its kind ever held in central Wisconsin. The Chamber planned to hold the auto exhibit last fall but a postponement was decided upon when it was found that the time was inopportune.

GETS NEW EQUIPMENT

Modern X-ray Apparatus Installed by Dr. E. H. Rogers

Modern and expensive equipment has just been added by Dr. E. A. Rogers to his X-ray outfit in his offices on Clark street, which enables him to take distinct pictures of any part of the body and also to perfect fluoroscopic work with the machine. A cooling tube, Beckey diaphragm and overhead wiring have been installed and the new equipment is now ready for use. Dr. Rogers has done X-ray work for 20 years and this is his fourth outfit of equipment.

MRS. H. S. HIPPENSTEEL LOSES SON BY DEATH

Member of Former Well Known Stevens Point Family Dies in Indiana

Clarke Hippensteel, aged 19 years, a son of the late Prof. H. S. Hippensteel who was a member of the State Normal school faculty here prior to 1917, died at Bloomington, Ind., Thursday night.

A telegram received by members of the Prof. J. V. Collins family from the mother announced the death. The young man, although only a boy when the Hippensteels left Stevens Point, will be remembered by many local people.

Professor Hippensteel, who was at the head of the English department at the Normal, died suddenly shortly after the family returned to Indiana, their home state, located at North Lancaster. The widow and two sons, Clarke and Vincent, removed to Bloomington after his death in order to give Clarke a higher education. The young man was enrolled at the University of Indiana, which is located at Bloomington, and where he pursued his studies. While here as a boy he will be best remembered as a student of music and often appeared upon local programs, rendering piano numbers. Clarke's death was caused by kidney trouble, with which he had been afflicted for a couple of years. He was a hospital patient for a time and his recovery was expected but a recent change for the worse occurred.

The remains are being accompanied by the mother and brother to North Manchester for interment beside the late Professor Hippensteel. The surviving child, Vincent, is seven years of age.

Professor and Mrs. Collins and daughter, Helen, of this city, visited Mrs. Hippensteel and sons in Indiana a few months after Mr. Hippensteel's death while enroute on an eastern trip.

MRS. MARY EMPEY DIES AT WAUPACA

Pioneer of Stevens Point Passes Away at Veterans' Home Near That City

Mrs. Mary Empey, a pioneer of Stevens Point and widow of Alexander J. Empey, who was city marshal here for a number of years, died at Wisconsin Veterans' home near Waupaca last week Tuesday at the age of 88 years, which anniversary she observed last September.

She became a member of the Home about two years ago, and was in poor health nearly all that time. For several months she had been confined to bed in the hospital, suffering greatly with rheumatism and complications.

Mrs. Empey's maiden name was Mary Nelson. Her first marriage was to Jacob Fancher of Amherst and after his death she became the wife of Mr. Empey. Until the death of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Dwinell at Amherst a couple of years ago, Mrs. Empey spent much of her time there.

The only near relatives living are three brothers, George Nelson of Amherst, Andrew Nelson of Wisconsin Veterans' Home and William Nelson of Rhinelander. The late Jerome Nelson of Nelsonville, a former member of the Wisconsin legislature, was also a brother of Mrs. Empey.

The body was taken to Amherst Thursday and services were held at the Methodist church there at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Coon of Waupaca officiating. Interment followed in the Greenwood cemetery.

PAY MORE BOUNTIES

Killed During 1921

There were more bounties paid on wolves and foxes killed in Portage county during 1921 than in any previous year. During 1921, 18 wolves and seven foxes were shot and bounties on them paid by the county. Only three wolves were shot in the county in 1920, and but two foxes. Hunters say that the reason more wolves and foxes were shot this year is because the animals seem to be roaming about more than they have in previous years, and have come into this section from the northern part of the state.

TO TAKE CENSUS OF UNEMPLOYED WORKERS HERE

Optimism Prevails at Gathering At St. Paul's M. E. Church

Appointment of a committee to take a census of the unemployed in Stevens Point which will do all in its power to help the situation in this city was the result of the conference on unemployment, held at the invitation of Rev. Roscoe A. Barnes at St. Paul's M. E. church Thursday evening.

Although the attendance at the gathering was small, the interest was keen and showed that those present had at heart the question of supplying work for local men who now have nothing to do.

It was generally admitted at the gathering that the number of men out of work in Stevens Point was larger than most people of the city think, yet a spirit of optimism dominated and speakers referred frequently to the belief that there is much less unemployment in Stevens Point than in most cities its size.

None Better Says Bruce
"I do not believe that there is any city in the United States which has a smaller number of unemployed than Stevens Point has," declared M. E. Bruce. "Our factories are all running either at normal or 75 per cent of production. E. A. Oberwieser of the Whiting-Plover paper company tells me that his business has been steadily growing until now it is at normal, or better."

The determination to take a census of the unemployed in the city was reached after methods of bringing the man wanting help and the man wanting work together were discussed. Rev. Mr. Barnes was appointed chairman of the unemployment committee and James G. Vennie, 220 Plover street, the secretary.

The committee to take the census was appointed with the hope of securing the name of every man in the city out of work. The names and addresses of the men appointed to take the census in each ward, and their telephone numbers are:

Census Takers
James G. Vennie, 220 Plover street, who will take the census in the Second, Fifth and Sixth wards, telephone 1413.

U. J. Puariea, 1423 Clark street, Third ward, telephone 6543.

Fred Goder, 336 Franklin street, who is to take the West side, telephone 168W.

Alois Kirkus, although not present, was decided upon as the best man to take the census in the Fourth ward. Unemployed residents in the city are asked to communicate with these men.

Employment Bureau
That few working men in the city know that the Chamber of Commerce functions as an employment bureau, was brought out at the meeting. M. E. Bruce reported that many men had been placed in positions through the Chamber of Commerce. He declared that the Chamber has a list of unemployed workers and that frequently employers are put in touch with men who are out of work. He advocated that general publicity be given to this service, so that every workman in the city will report to the Chamber as soon as he is out of a job. This plan met with hearty approval.

No estimate of the number of men out of work was made by any of the men present. Mr. Vennie reported 106 men laid off at the Soo line repair track, and that the names of 14 firemen had been taken off the "extra" list. "There is an average of only three extra freight trains a week being run on the Soo line now," Mr. Vennie said. "Practically every fireman now is an engineer a few years ago. There is less work and these men have been demoted, as we say. On the car repair track and in the round house the men are working five days a week."

Thirty in Third Ward
Mr. Puariea stated he believed "there are at least 30 men whom I know in the Third ward who are out of work."

The meeting adjourned with the thought of assembling at some future time in the city council rooms at the call of Rev. Mr. Barnes.

MANY AT FUNERAL

Old Friends and Neighbors Attend Last Services for Mrs. Goerke

A large number of old friends and neighbors of the late Mrs. Amanda Goerke attended the last services held at her home at 1001 Clark street at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Rev. Wilson Mallory, of Granton, formerly of this city, held services at the home and at the Goerke vault in Forest cemetery, where the remains were deposited beside those of her late husband. Three sacred selections were rendered at the home by a quartet from the Stevens Point State Normal.

The pall bearers were A. L. Halstead, Alex. Krembs, Frank Pauckert, Fred Capps, J. R. Congdon and E. H. Rothman.

COURT GRANTS PLEA

Civil Action Held Over Until May on Defendant's Pleading

A decision granting a plea of the defendant to hold over the damage action of Mike Potrykus against Jerome Russell and Walter Russell until the next term of circuit court was handed down by Circuit Judge Byron B. Park.

The defendants' attorneys presented affidavits of Walter Russell and Dr. E. S. Cooper of Almond stating that Jerome Russell was ill and in no condition to testify at the present time, therefore asking the postponement. Counsel for Mr. Potrykus filed seven affidavits by neighbors of Mr. Russell and several physicians, stating that in their opinion Mr. Russell was able to appear in the court room and could take up the case. Judge Park in his decision promised the plaintiff that the case would be the first to be heard in the May term of court.

The case is one of long standing growing out of a verdict which a jury in circuit court returned last May, finding the Russells guilty of assault and battery upon the person of Mr. Potrykus following a dispute over a road fence in the town of Almond. The latter thereupon began a civil action for damages, which was continued to the present term of court and which has now been postponed.

JOINT INSTALLATION OF FORESTERS HERE

Wisconsin State Court to Hold Important Meeting on January 14

A gathering of men prominent in commercial and professional circles in various parts of the commonwealth will be held in Stevens Point on Saturday of next week, Jan. 14, when Wisconsin State Court, Catholic Order of Foresters, will meet at K. C. hall.

A portion of the forenoon and most of the afternoon will be devoted to business matters and it is probable that entertainment features will be provided for the evening.

Those who are expected to come here on the 14th include Geo. T. O'Brien of Fond du Lac, state chief ranger; Emory L. Mangold of Wausau, vice chief ranger; Leo P. Fox of Chilton, secretary; D. F. Ryan of Milwaukee, treasurer; John A. Kuypers of De Pere, J. J. McGilivray of Chippewa Falls and A. L. Nussbaum of Madison, trustees.

On the following afternoon, Sunday, Jan. 15, will be initiation of candidates who will become affiliated with the two local courts and St. Michael's court of Junction City. From present indications the class will number twenty-five or more. Besides the regular initiatory work, the exalted degree of membership will be conferred by the state court team. A large number of visitors are expected from Junction City, Milladore, Custer and other places.

PICRIC ACID HERE

Enough Explosive to Clear 200 Acres of Land Arrives

A shipment of six tons of picric acid, sufficient to blow the stumps from 200 acres of ordinary stump land, arrived in Stevens Point from Sparta last week for Portage county farmers.

The explosive was ordered by County Agricultural Agent W. W. Clark, and farmers who placed orders are being notified that the shipment has arrived. Some of the picric acid will be distributed here and the remainder shipped to Bancroft, Junction City and Amherst.

Three more tons of picric acid, also ordered by farmers of the county, are still to arrive. This was also ordered from the state. County Agent Clark made a special trip to Madison in the fall to secure the promise of authorities there that all of the explosive ordered locally would be delivered. The trip was made after it was learned that difficulty might be encountered in getting the acid.

GIVEN JAIL SENTENCE

Town of Hull Farmer Convicted of Violating State Game Law

Florian Whaciak, town of Hull farmer, is in the county jail and will remain there for 60 days unless he pays a fine of \$50 and costs, assessed in Justice G. L. Park's court last week after he had pleaded guilty to trapping muskrats in their houses in violation of the state law.

Complaint was made by Conservation Warden Frank Hornberg, who caught Whaciak early Tuesday morning in the act of trapping in a muskrat house in a slough which adjoins the Wisconsin river.

HANCOCK BIRTHS
One Christmas baby was born in Hancock, a daughter arriving at the home of Otis Adams. A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Glod on Dec. 27 and on the first day of the new year a boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Kitchen at their home near Hancock.

D. A. R. CHAPTER PROPOSES NAME FOR NEW HOTEL

Would Call It "The General Ellis" After First Local Newspaper Publisher

The Stevens Point Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has proposed that the city's new hotel be named after General Albert G. Ellis, the first local newspaper publisher, one of the first editors in the state and a prominent man in many lines of endeavor in early days.

The following communication has been received by the Chamber of Commerce from the local chapter:

"In 1852 there came to Stevens Point a man destined to perform an important part in the growth and history of our city. This man was General Albert G. Ellis. He was born in Oneida county, New York, in 1800, where he grew to young manhood.

He early learned the art of printing, serving an apprenticeship for several years.

"In 1822 he came to Green Bay with the Rev. Eleazar Williams at which time he was appointed, by the Domestic and Foreign Mission society of the Episcopal church, Catechist and lay reader to the Oneida Indians at Green Bay, holding this position five years.

Held Many Positions
"In 1827 he was appointed inspector of provisions and the following year deputy surveyor of government lands.

"In 1836 Mr. Ellis was elected a member from Brown county to the legislative assembly of the territory of Wisconsin. At this session the fixing of the seat of government for Wisconsin was a leading measure. In 1837 he was appointed by President Van Buren, surveyor general of Wisconsin and Iowa.

"He again served in the territorial legislature in 1842 and 1843 and later was appointed sub-Indian agent for the Chippewa Indians and in 1853 receiver for the land office at Stevens Point, filling this position until 1862. "General Ellis was one of the first editors in the state and assisted in founding the 'Green Bay Intelligencer' in 1833, the first newspaper in the territory. At Stevens Point he established the Pinery in 1853—our first newspaper.

"In politics he was a Democrat serving our city as mayor during the years 1860, 1864, '65, '67, '69, '70 and '71.

"He was a charter member of the State Historical society, contributing many articles of great value and interest to the collections. "It was mainly through his untiring efforts that the Episcopal church of Stevens Point was established and the church building erected, which stood for so many years at the intersection of Church and Clark streets. He was a communicant of the church for a period of 65 years.

"In his personal intercourse with his fellow men, he was most courteous and kind to all, a gentleman of the old school whose example in this respect as well as in many others, our youths of today would do well to emulate. He died in Stevens Point December 23, 1885, after a continuous residence here for 32 years.

Did Much For City
"In the death of General Ellis, the city of Stevens Point lost a valuable citizen and a man whose success in life was earned by qualities of character which are always admirable. As a pioneer he was one of the leading spirits and probably did as much, if not more, for the advancement of Stevens Point than any other citizen of his time.

"That we may honor and perpetuate the name of this 'grand old man' we, the members of the Stevens Point Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, would suggest the naming of our new hotel 'The General Ellis.'"

GET DOG LICENSE THIS IS THE TIME

And It is Not Binding if Animal Leaves Home Lot Any Time After Dark

A new state statute, passed by the 1921 legislature, requires that a license be purchased between January 1 and February 1 for every canine over six months of age. If the dog does not become of age until after January 1, no license need be bought until the next year.

City and town treasurers dispense the licenses, with tags, at \$1 the male dog, and \$2 each for females. The new dog regulations decree that the owner must register his name and address, and the sex, breed, age, color and marking of the dog in taking out a license. Here's some other things the law provides:

Owners of dogs are liable to the county for damages done by dogs. Anyone who kills an unlicensed dog without its owner having any recourse by law.

Anyone may kill a dog, whether domestic or not, if it is found killing livestock or fowl. A report must be made to the city clerk giving details of slaying and name of killer.

FEWER MARRIAGES

Period of Depression Blamed for Slump in Licenses

The year 1921 was a poor one for marriages in Portage county. Only 236 licenses were issued from the office of County Clerk A. E. Bourn during the past year, while in the previous year, 1920, there were 330 issued. The period of depression is blamed for the decrease by County Clerk Bourn. The high cost of living and the fear that this condition may continue for some time has made couples timid, he says.

BROWNE WOULD HAVE FRANCE CEDE ISLAND POSSESSIONS TO U. S.

Maintenance of a Large Standing Army Makes It Impossible For Her to Pay War Debt He Says

Because of France's reported stand on the question of disarmament and assertion of her rights to retain a large standing army, Representative Edward E. Browne of the Eighth congressional district declares that it is time that the government of the United States demand payment of the war debt which that country owes America.

He suggests that in view of the fact that at present it would be practically impossible for France to meet these debts with currency payments she cede her islands in the West Indies.

Representative Browne is a member of the house foreign affairs committee and has made a special study of the claims of France at the arms conference. He believes that insisting on France ceding island possessions to the United States is the only way to reach a practical settlement with her at this time. He states that in as much as France desires to maintain an army of 800,000 men, she will be a long time paying up her war indebtedness.

ARREST GAME WARDEN

Arthur Tic, Former County Resident, Taken at Crandon

Arthur Tic, formerly of Junction City, Milladore and Almond, has been arrested at Crandon with Russell Mader, on a charge of violating the prohibition laws. They gave bonds for their appearance in municipal court January 17. Both are now residents of Shawano.

Mr. Tic left Almond, his last residence in the county, about three years ago. While a resident of Almond he was the proprietor of a jewelry store and barber shop. He also ran a barber shop at Junction City and at Milladore. At the time he lived in Almond he served as a conservation warden.

It is claimed that Tic and Mader gave an Indian named Shopodock a quantity of liquor in return for a deer that the Indian had killed. Following the alleged transaction Shopodock came to Crandon and made a complaint against the men.

TWO ARE SENT TO JAIL

Judge Park Disposes of Moonshiners Cases at the Rapids

Five alleged moonshiners pleaded guilty to violation of prohibition laws in circuit court before Judge B. B. Park of this city last week at Wisconsin Rapids and four of them received sentences.

Elmer Moberg for his second offense of moonshining, was given 90 days in the county jail. Nick Thomas drew the heaviest fine, \$200 and costs. Joseph Wojcik received a sentence of 60 days and John Wolosheck was given a fine of \$150 and costs. The case against Napoleon Faneuf was held up temporarily pending further investigation.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY.

State Bank of Nelsonville, Nelsonville, Wisconsin, a Wisconsin banking corporation, plaintiff—vs.—A. J. Bronstad, defendant. Ludwig H. Johnson, executor of the estate of Louis C. (sometimes written L. C.) Bronstad, garnishee.

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the said garnishee:

You are hereby summoned pursuant to the annexed affidavit as garnishee of the defendant, A. J. Bronstad and required within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, and exclusive of the day of service, to answer according to law whether you are indebted to or have in your possession or under your control any property, real or personal, belonging to the said defendant and to serve a copy of your answer on the undersigned at his office at 301 Main street, in the

City of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin; and in case of your failure so to do you will be liable to further proceedings according to law; of which the said defendant will also take notice.

W. E. ATWELL, Plaintiff's Attorney, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

P. O. Address: 301 Main street, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

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THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the said defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service and defend the above entitled action, in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint, which is now on file with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County.

W. E. ATWELL, Plaintiff's Attorney, Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

P. O. Address: Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

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NOTICE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin, County Court, Portage County—In Probate.

In re estate of George L. Barrows, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of said court to be held at said court house, on the first Tuesday of May, A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said George L. Barrows, deceased.

And notice is hereby further given that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said county court at the court house in the city of Stevens Point in said county and state, on or before the first day of May, A. D. 1922, or be barred. Dated December 15, 1921.

By the court, W. F. OWEN, Judge.

George B. Nelson, Attorney.

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NOTICE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In re estate of Joseph A. Fliska, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that at the Regular term of said court to be held at said court house, on the first Tuesday of May, A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said Joseph A. Fliska, deceased.

And notice is hereby further given, That all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said county court at the court house in the city of Stevens Point in said county and state, on or before the 21st day of April, A. D. 1922, or be barred. Dated December 20, 1921.

By the Court, W. F. OWEN, Judge.

Fisher & Cashin, Attorneys.

Mrs. Bowen Tells How Rat Almost Burned Her House Down.

"For two months I never went in our cellar, fearing a rat. One night in bed I smelled fire. Sure enough the rat had been nibbling at the matches. If I hadn't acted promptly my house would have been burned. Later we found the dead rat. RAT-SNAP killed it. It's great stuff." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by H. D. McCulloch Co.

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News of Portage County

MARAUDERS VISIT PLAINFIELD STORE

Business Men Report that the Burglars Succeeded in Securing Some Cash

Bancroft, Wis., Jan. 11—Burglars entered several business places in Plainfield on Monday night. The exact loss is not known, although several of the business men report cash missing.

Makes Skating Pond
C. E. Hutchinson has flooded his garden and made a skating pond for the young folks and they surely are enjoying it.

Potatoes Going Up
Potato prices have climbed back around \$1.50 per hundred and the farmers are beginning to feel a little better.

Not to Move Shed
The big shed formerly used as a lumber shed and later as a garage will not be moved away for the present.

Personals
F. C. Morgan on R. F. D. carrier, has succeeded in making all of his route with the exception of about 3 miles, on one day.

Mrs. F. R. Valentine is numbered among the sick the last few days.

Mrs. B. R. Hutchinson took dinner at the William Kake farm on Saturday.

The jurymen and women from this locality returned to Stevens Point on Saturday.

Henry Van Hooser is the proud father of a nine and one-half pound baby girl born on Tuesday, January 3. This makes six girls and one boy, so there surely is no race suicide in "Hank's" family.

The quarantine has been lifted from the John Meddaugh home and they are free to go and come as they choose.

F. C. Chase and Dr. Rigby attended the boxing show at Wisconsin Rapids last week.

ENJOY SLEIGHRIDE

Junior Epworth League Takes "Trip Around World"

Buena Vista, Jan. 11—The Junior Epworth league enjoyed a "Trip Around the World," Saturday. Neal Precourt furnished the team. The personage was America. C. Bibby's home was Italy. C. Whitaker's home represented England. All had a fine time.

Tenth Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hansen celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary Sunday. They had the church service and Sunday school at their home. The attendance was fair.

Buena Vista Briefs
Ward Newby and son are ill with scarlet fever.
The S. Whitaker and A. Lorbeck families are afflicted with illness. Miss Nellie Taylor of Waterloo, Ia., spent her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor, and sister, Mrs. B. Hansen. Miss Taylor is teaching school at Waterloo.
The high and normal school students returned to their schools Sunday, after a two weeks' vacation.

Church Notices
Sunday, Jan. 15, Buena Vista, Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Lounsbury will speak.
Calkins, Sunday school, 1:30 p. m. Services after Sunday school at the W. Taylor home.
Plover, Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m.
For the week: Choir practice, Junior League, Saturday, January 21, 5 p. m., at the O. Weller home.

INSTALL OFFICERS

Buena Vista Creamery to Purchase a New Churn

Pleasant Valley, Jan. 10—The Women's Benefit Association, of Buena Vista, held their regular meeting for the installation of officers at the home of Mrs. Minnie Precourt. In the absence of the Past President, Mrs. L. E. Springer of Stevens Point, Mrs. L. E. Newby acted as hostess. The meeting was a delightful affair and all were enjoyed by all.

To Purchase Churn

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Buena Vista Creamery company was held at the creamery Thursday afternoon. It was voted to buy a new churn. All the officers were re-elected for the coming year.

Pleasant Valley Briefs

The little daughter of Mrs. V. M. Ger, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. Wm. Clark of Liberty Corner has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Fletcher.

Mrs. Gilbert Partridge of Reader, N. Y., who is spending the winter with Portage county relatives, is now at the L. E. Wentworth home.

Troy Gordon, who recently resigned his position as rural mail carrier, made his last trip Wednesday. We hope he will be fortunate in his new career.

FARMERS BUY HAY

Belmont Store Starts Early Closing and Closes at 6

Belmont, Wis., Jan. 7—Several of the farmers about here hauled hay from Plainfield last week.

Start Early Closing

The Belmont store now closes every night at six o'clock excepting Wednesday and Saturday.

Brief News Items

Miss Inez Piper is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Von Ganten at present. Miss Piper travels for a magazine company.

Miss Nellie Stinson and Lowell Thompson of Almond have spent the last two weeks at E. D. Stinson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bodler and son Ronald of Kenosha visited at William Vaughn's last week.

Peter Peterson, who moved to the northern part of the state about a year ago, has been visiting home folks the past week.

Celia and Clair Sawyer of Almond spent a part of their vacation at their farm home here.

Mrs. Olive Stratton is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from her school in District No. 8.

Miss Mary Carpenter began her school again January 2 after a week's vacation spent at her home in Buena Vista.

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to the Charles Newby farm the past week where they will assist Mr. Newby with his work.

Mrs. Liscombe of the Waupaca Veterans' home spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Janeczek.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Hezel announce the arrival of a baby boy at their home Thursday, January 5.

Miss Edith Calkins of Stevens Point was the guest of Miss Angie Sheldon and other friends the past week.

Martin Johnson is attending business matters at Portage.

Miss Nellie Stinson spent the holiday vacation with her parents at Blaine.

DANCE IS SUCCESS

Joe Beck and Elizabeth Skibba Win 49-Cent Prize

Junction City, Jan. 9—The hard time dance given by the Foresters was a decided success. Everyone reports a wonderful time. Joe Beck and Elizabeth Skibba won the 49-cent prize.

To Meet Wednesday
The Parent-Teachers' Association will meet at the school house Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Briefs
Mrs. W. Brunner has been confined to her home on account of illness. She is improved at the present time.

Irene Miller of Wausau visited her uncle, Reynold Brown.

James Burns of Milwaukee visited friends between trains on his way to Stevens Point.

Little Winifred Wedlock is very ill with pneumonia.

BUENA VISTA FARMER PRAISES SOY BEANS

"The Greatest Feed I Ever Fed"

Says G. C. Springer After Giving It a Trial

Soy beans have a place on every farm, in the opinion of G. C. Springer, well-known Portage county Jersey breeder and farmer. "I never used to take much stock in this talk about soy beans," said Mr. Springer in an interview. "But they look to me now like the greatest feed I ever fed. I had about three acres this year and next year I expect to plant 30 acres of this crop. That shows what I think of soy beans."

Having a number of cows on official test and making high records, Mr. Springer and his son, Frank, watch their cows carefully and know what they are producing each day. Last summer they began to cut their beans green and feed to cows in the barn as soon as the pods began to form. An increase in milk production appeared at once and they got better results than when cows were on pasture. "As nearly as I could tell we saved about a third of our grain ration for the test cows by feeding green soy beans," estimated the Jersey man.

Although the beans were cut and fed green for several weeks, about two acres were left to cut for seed. They were harvested quite a little on the green side just as the pods began to turn color, and while the leaves were still on the stalks. About 20 bushels of seed was threshed out and considerable straw was left which was used as feed as alfalfa hay. The Springers had written the Madison experiment station for an opinion as to its value and rather doubted that soy bean straw was worth as much as that.

In Mr. Springer's words: "We thought we would try it out. We had some good quality alfalfa hay which we were feeding and we substituted our soy bean straw for a time and then went back to alfalfa again keeping records of the milk all the time. If there was any difference, it was a little harder to keep the cows up to the mark with alfalfa than with the soy beans. From my experience I would just as soon have my barn filled with good, heavy soy bean straw as with alfalfa hay."

The variety used in this test was Wisconsin Pedigree Early Black, drilled in solid at the rate of about three bushels to the acre. Mr. Springer said this was a little too thick especially in a dry season. The land was good, however, and he estimates they got the equivalent of about three tons of good alfalfa hay worth \$4 a ton in addition to the seed, worth at least \$40 a total of \$415 from three acres. This is not so bad when the same land in five would have produced about 30 bushels of seed worth, perhaps \$20 and perhaps 300 worth of straw. Moreover, the seed was left the soil poorer in seed than as did the soy beans.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL

People from out of the city who came to Stevens Point to attend the funeral of the late Christian Herman, 1006 Fourth avenue, were: Vincent Prychla, Edward Herman and Steve Prychla, Chicago; Mrs. Emil Engelking, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Tad Lepinski, Plover; Michael and Bernard Berling, Milwaukee; Mrs. Anna Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Herman and Miss Regina Herman, Arnold; Mr. and Mrs. John Herman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Herman, Amherst; Vincent and Steve Prychla returned to Chicago and Bernard and Michael Berling to Milwaukee Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lunks moved

Market News

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, Ill., January 9
HOGS, Receipts 15,000; market 10 6.25 lower; top 8.25; bulk of sales 7.25@7.75; heavy weights 7.25@7.40; medium weights 7.35@7.75; light weights 7.65@8.00; heavy packing sows 5.85@6.25; packing sows, rough 6.10@6.75; pigs 5.00@5.25.

CATTLE, Receipts 12,000; market steady; choice and prime 9.00@10.00; medium and good 7.00@9.10; common 6.00@7.00; good and choice 8.15@10.00; common and medium 5.75@8.15; butcher cattle and heifers 4.00@8.25; cows 3.10@4.35; hells 4.00@6.15; canners and cutters, cows and heifers 2.35@3.10; canner steers 3.25@4.25; veal calves 6.75@9.25; feeder steers 5.00@6.50; stocker steers 4.25@6.40; stocker cows and heifers 3.00@4.75.

SHEEP, Receipts 20,000; market 25 higher; lambs 11.25@11.35; lambs, cull and common 9.00@11.25; yearling wethers 9.00@11.25; ewes 4.50@5.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Live poultry, fowls 25; turkeys 35; butter, standards 29 1/2; butter, creamery extra 32; eggs, firsts 29 1/2; potatoes 47 cars Wisconsin Whites, 2.00@2.15.

CHICAGO GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat, May 1.05; July .98 1/2.
Corn, May .52 1/2; July .54 1/2.
Oats, May .27 1/2; July .35 1/2.

MILWAUKEE POTATO MARKET

Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan—Best, 1.50@1.60; Idaho, Utah 2.00@2.25; Washington Russets, 2.25@2.50; Minnesota Red Rivers, Ohio 1.75@1.85; South Dakota, 1.65@1.75; Wisconsin, Green Mountain No. 1, 1.75@2.00.

MILWAUKEE BARLEY MARKET

Market, 1 1/2 higher; Wisconsin barley sales, 1 car No. 3, 63.

STEVENS POINT MARKETS

Selling Prices

Hour:
Gold Crows
Per bbl. 8.20
Per 98-lb sack 4.15
Per 19-lb sack 2.11
Per 14-lb sack 1.06
Rosebud
Per bbl. 7.70
Per 98-lb sack 3.85
Per 49-lb sack 1.93
Per 24 1/2-lb sack .98
Rye, per bbl. 5.75
Shelled corn, per cwt. 1.15
Cornmeal, per cwt. 1.20
Bran, standard, per cwt. 1.38
Ground feed, per cwt. 1.25

Buying Prices

Oats, per bu. 35
Wheat No. 1, per bu. 1.35
Rye grain, per bu. .70
Potatoes, per cwt. 1.60
Dressed Beef, per cwt. 6.00-10.00
Live Beef 2.00-5.00
Live hogs, per cwt. 6.00-8.00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. 9.00-10.00
Butter, dairy 35-40
Butter, creamery 45-52
Eggs, per doz. 50-55
Live chickens, per lb. 13-17
Dressed chickens, per lb. 18-25
Live geese 15-18
Dressed geese 30-35
Dressed ducks 25-30
Live ducks 20-25

POTATO REPORT

Total shipments entire U. S. to date this season, 150,641 cars; last season 155,128 cars.

Total potato shipments from Wisconsin to date this season 4,236 cars; last season, 8,116 cars.

Price per cwt. Monday, Jan. 9:
Cash to growers at Waupaca bulk 1.35-1.60; at other Wisconsin points 1.25-1.60.

Selling price carlots f o b usual terms sacked 1.80-1.95.

Chicago market carlots sacked 2.00-2.15; bulk 2.15-2.25.

Waupaca, Wis.: Minimum and maximum temperatures past 24 hours to 6 p. m. 39 degrees and 40 degrees. Clear. Carlots f o b usual terms: Moderate wire inquiry, demand moderate, movement slow, market firm and little change in prices. Sacked round whites No. 1 1.50-1.95. Warehouse cash to growers: Handling light, demand light and movement slow, market firm, little change in prices. Bulk round whites No. 1 at Waupaca \$1.75-1.60, according to quality. At other Wisconsin points 1.25-1.60. The Wisconsin Dept. of Markets reports the following shipping points paying as follows for No. 1 stock:

Camden, No. 1 round and long whites 1.25.

Parron, No. 1 round and long whites 1.25, seed stock triumphs 1.75.

Antigo, No. 1 round whites 1.60.

Chicago, Ill.: 37 degrees Clear. 2 cold, 1 blizzard, 1 N. Dak. and 42 Wisconsin arrived. 118 cars on track including 1000. Demand and movement slow, market weak. Track sales carlots, unweighed: All U. S. grade No. 1 Wisconsin sacked round whites 2.00-2.15; bulk, 2.00-2.15; Minnesota sacked round whites 1.90-2.00; Michigan sacked round whites 2.00-2.10; Idaho sacked russets slightly delayed one car 2.55.

Our Example.
Our example is worth a thousand arguments. Gladstone.

SHORT COURSE TO BE OFFERED AT THE NORMAL

Special School Work Will Be Given For Farm Boys and Girls

The State Normal school announces a short course for farm boys and girls, to be held in this city from January 30 to March 31.

The aim of the course is to help the farm boys and girls to a fuller and more appreciative understanding of farm problems and their solution, so that they will return to the farm with increased interest and enthusiasm in farm work.

Instructors at the Normal declare that the school is peculiarly adapted to offer a course of this kind. "The splendidly equipped, roomy agriculture and domestic science laboratories make the work a pleasure, and a large and complete library is at the disposal of the students and the gymnasium will afford a place for such recreation as basketball, volley ball, etc.," they declare.

The teachers who are on the short course faculty have all lived on farms and fully appreciate and understand the problems confronting the farmer. They are anxious to present methods which will make farm life fuller, pleasanter and more profitable.

For Rural School People

The course is offered particularly for boys and girls who have completed or partially completed the rural school work and who do not care to, or who cannot take an extensive college course. No particular scholastic attainments are necessary but it is preferred that the applicant shall have completed the rural or graded school.

The chief result hoped for is more efficient, contented and interested boys and girls in the rural communities. Besides that, the course serves as a stepping stone to further educational advancement.

Some of the boys who finish the course will be capable of holding the position of tester in cow-testing associations, which is interesting, instructive and well-paid work.

La Duke the Director

Prof. C. V. La Duke is the director for the short course. The subjects to be offered are sewing and cookery, farm arithmetic, farm English, woodworking and farm mechanics and practical science.

Last year students were enrolled in the short course from Iola, Almond, Stevens Point, Amherst Junction, Custer, Polonia and Bancroft.

NEW YEAR'S DAY 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF LOCAL RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. James Rice Celebrate

Event with Dinner on Saturday at Brevoort in Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. James Rice, 612 Strong's avenue, for 46 years residents of Stevens Point, reached the 50th anniversary of their marriage on Sunday, January 1. They were married at New London, Wis., January 1, 1872.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice celebrated the event on Saturday in Chicago, when they were hosts to a number of relatives at a dinner in the Brevoort hotel.

They were returning to Stevens Point with their son, John, of Seattle, Wash., from a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. M. J. Finnell, at Pontiac, Ill., over the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Finnell was unable to be present at the dinner, nor was their other son, Earl Rice of Los Angeles, Calif.

Those present at the dinner were: Mrs. Ella Blake Rice, Dr. Ethel Rice, Mrs. Zena Rice Lucas, Mrs. Thomas Rice, all of Chicago; Mrs. Laura Rice, Buenos Aires, Argentine, South America, who is visiting in Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. James Rice of Stevens Point and John Rice of Seattle, Wash., who is now visiting with his parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice were residents of the village of Weyauwega when the marriage took place, and they remained there for four years after their marriage, coming to Stevens Point from that place. Mrs. Rice's maiden name was Ellen Meiklejohn.

CASE IN CIRCUIT COURT

SETTLED AND IS DISMISSED

The case of Carl T. Gunderson vs. Arthur J. Gunderson, in which the plaintiff was suing the defendant for damages of \$580.08 which he alleges was due him begun in circuit court Monday, was settled out of court and the case was dismissed.

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COUNTY COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN—In probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jacob Doczycek, Deceased.

Notice is Hereby Given, that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Stevens Point in said county on the 1st Tuesday (being the 7th day) of February, A. D. 1922, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Baldas Baker, administrator of the estate of Jacob Doczycek, deceased, late of Town of Sharon in said county, for the examination and allowance of his final account, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are by law (or by the terms of said will) entitled thereto; and for the determination and adjudication of the inheritance tax, if any, payable in said estate.

Dated this 10th day of January, A. D. 1922.

By the Court,
W. F. OWEN, County Judge.

Byron Carpenter,
Attorney for the Administrator.

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